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HONGKONG WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22nd, 1878.

PRICE \$21 PER MONTH. 港香

Arrivals.

March 21, Penedo, British str., 652, Cain, Saigon 15th March, Rice. - MELCHERS. March 21, LING-FENG, Chinese gunboat, 354, Cocker from Canton 21st March.

Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, MARCH 21st. Esmeralda, for Iloilo. Nestor, str., for Shanghai.

Sumatra, for San Francisco. Departures.

March 21, MACGREGOR, str., for Saigon. March 21, James Wilson, for Samarang. March 21, DORA, for Sucl.

Passengers.

TO DEPART. Por Sumatra, for San Francisco :-

Reports.

The British steamsbip Penedo reports left CHILD. Saigon on 15th March, and had fine weather until the 14th, then thick weather. Passed stonmer off Cape Davaids, at 8.30 p.m. on the 17th, showing M.P.F.W. bound South.

SHANGHAI-ARRIVALS March 8th, str. Fung-shun from Tientsin, atr. Haining from Tientsin, Windhoger from Nagasaki, etr. Sin Nansing from Clyde; 9th, str. Dragon from Japan; 11th, str. Taku from

Tientein and Chefoo, str. Pantab-from Tientain. and Chefoo; 12th, str. Ohihll from Tientsin and Obefon: 18th, str. Yehain from Tientsing, Kronprindsesses from Foodbow; 14th, str. Shanse from Tientein, str. Thales from Tientein and Chefoo, str. Hoogly from Hongkong, &c., str. Paonting from Tients n and Ohefoo, str. Hankow from London, &c. SHANGHAI-DEPARTURES.

March 8th, atr. Tokio Mara for Nagasaki, Hiogo, &c., Almatisi for Tientain; 9th, Mantura for Newchwang, Mary Whitridge for Hongkong ; 10th, str. Fung-shun for Tientsin ; 11th, Gesiena for Foodbow, Otto for Amor, Lunan for Obeloo and Newchwang : 12th, B. Aymar for Amoy; 13th, Hilds for Newchwarg, Janet for Newsbwang, Rowens for Keeling; 14th. str. Pagtal for Tientain, str. Taku for Obeloo

YOKOHAMA-ARRIVALS. March 6th, str. Tanais from Hongkong : 7th. Truth from Samarang, str. Columbian from Hongkong, Aarbuns from Takao, str. Oceanio from Hongkong ; 8th, Sosterk from Taiwanfoo, etr. Genkui Maru from Shangbai; 9th, etr. Malacca from Hongkong, 11th, str. Belgie from San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA—DEPARTURES. March oth, German gunboat Oyolop for Formosa; 6th, Nightingalefor Hongkong; 7th, str. | Road. Sunda for Hongkong , 8th, str. Hiroshima Mara for Shanghai; Sth. Regulus for Cheloo, Jonathan Chase for Hongkong : 9th; str. Oceanic for San Francisco; 11th, Eme for Hakodadi.

Vessels that have arrived in Europe from Ports in China, Japan and Menila.

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Berwickshire	Maniladan. 25
Hazel Holme	ManilaJan. 25
Selimina	Iloilo Jan: 25
Viking (s.)	FoodbowJan. 27
Glaucia (s.)	China Ports Jan. 28

Vessols Expected at Hongkong. (Corrected to Date_)

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Auction Sales To-day.

M. ARMSTRONG. At 12 noon, Worthington Pumps, Boiler, &c.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. At 12 noon. Housebold Furniture, do:

THE SOUTTISH INPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, baving been appointed Agent in Hongkong for the above-named Company, is prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE on Buildings and on Goods to the extent of £10,000 at the usual rates subject to an immediate discount of 20 %. Attention is invited to a considerable reduc-

tion in premiu for Life Insurance in China. Life Policies effected during the year 1875 Share in the Bonus to be declared on 31st December for the quinquennial period then

A. MACG. HEATON. 1465 Hongkong, 27th September, 1875. THE UMINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

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Hongkong, 1st November, 1871. CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

NOTICE.

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12 951 Hongkong, 17th April, 1978.

TO BE LET, With Immediate Possession. THE HOUSE No. 7, Gough Street. Apply GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

To be Lct.

1478 Hongkong, 29th September, 1875. TO LET. With Immediate Possession, NWO DWELLING HOUSES and OFFICES.

Nos. 14 and 16, Stanley Street, lately in the occupation of Messrs. RAYNAL & Co.

The HOUSE, No. 35. Wellington Street, Annual Crown Rent, \$390.48.

Intely in the occupation of Messrs. Rose & Co.

The DWELLING HOUSE, No. 4, Alexandra and extensive Godowns. The STORE and DWELLING HOUSE,

No. 31, Queen's Road, lately in the occupation of Miss GARRETT. The HOUSE and OFFICES, No. 3, D'Aguilar Street, lately in the occupation of Mr. F The STORE and PREMISES, Nos. 42 and

44. Queen's Road, lately in the occupation of Messis. Dunost & Co. The Ground and First-floors of the HOUSE No. 1, Wyndham Street, with Stable attached. (Also, with occupation from let April next). feet.
The BUNGALOW, No. 3. Old Builey Street: feet. The DWELLING HOUSE, No. 46, Peel Street, now in the occupation of Mr. HAUS-

(And, with occupation from lst May next); The DWELLING HOUSE, No. 1, Alexandra Terrace, at present in the occupation of Dr. DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co. tf. 1864 Hongkong, 21st March, 1876.

TO LET, With Possession on the lat April. THE PREMISES in QUEEN'S ROAD CEN TRAL, known as the " Lordon Inn." LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

829 Hongkong, 10th March, 1876: TO LET. FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWN on the Prays, Wanchai.

S. E. BURROWS & SONS. tf 453 Hongkong, 20th March, 1875. TO BE LET. THE HOUSE No. 11, STAUNTON STREET, at Postension can be bad on the 17th March inst.

Apply to TURNER & Co., 41, Queen's Road. tf 283 Hongkong, 1st March, 1876.

TO LET. THE PREMISES lately occupied by THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Queen's Road.

G. FALCONER & Co. tf. 1070 Hongkong, 7th July, 1875. TO LET. With Immediate Possession. THE Semi-detached RESIDENCES Nos. and 2, WESTBOURNE VILLAS, Bonham

The HOUSE at the west end of " The A bany," recently in the occupation of the Hon HOUSES on Upper Mosque Terrace. All with Gas and Water laid on.

A First-class GODOWN at Wanchi of about .000 tons capacity. T. G. LINSTEAD, 1464 Hongkong, 12th January, 1876.

TO LET TO. 5, ZETLAND STREET. No. 2, SHYMOUR TERRACE. No. 3, PEDDAR'S HILL.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. d 512 Hongkong, 6th March, 1876. AFR. M. TENHAEFF is AUTHORISED

IVI to SIGN my FIRM per procuration from this date. EDWARD HERTON. Praya. 1m 306 Swatow, 1st March, 1876. NOTICE.

WE have established BRANCHES of our The Undersigned have been appointed Soie FIRM at HAIPHONG and HANOL Mr. Agents for the Sale of their Goods in E. CONSTANTIN is authorised to SIGN by pro- Hongkong and China by Messre. J. & R. Ten-

curation in Tonquin. LANDSTEIN & Co. 3 Hongkong, Ist. January, 1876.

HAVE This Day authorized Mr. J. Y. V. SHAW to SIGN my NAME per prucura-A. MACG. HEATON. 8 Hongkong, 1st January, 1876.

BOOHUMER VEREIN FUR BERGBAU UND GUSSSTAHL FABRICATION. IN BOOHUM (GERMANY). CAST STEEL WORKS.

THE Undersigned have been appointed SOLE AGENTS in CHINA for the above Esta-

J. W. MULLER & Co. 8m 59 Shanghui, 1st January, 1876. TONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION PAID-UP CAPITAL 5,000,000 of Dollars: RESERVE FUND 400,000 of Dollars. Court of Directors :-

Chairman-E. R. BELLIOS, Esq. Deputy Chairman-Ar. ANDEE, Esq. I. F. Cordes, Esq. A. Molver, Esq. S. W. Pomeroy, Esq. S. W. Pomeroy, Esq. Esq. Ohief Manager.

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HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. On Ourroat Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. persnnum on the daily balance. On Fired Deposits:--For 3 months'2 percent. per annum

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange Drafts granted on Londom and the chief 48 Hongkong, 8th January, 1878.

America, China and Japan.

JAMES GREIG. Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1. Queen's Road East,

Hongkong, 17th February, 1876. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above L. Company, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$60,000 on any FIRST-CLASS RISK.

M Current Rates, A RETURN OF TWENTY PER CENT. (20 %. will be made on the premium charged on all Insurances, such RETUEN being payable on the issue of the Policy. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Imperial Fire Insurance Company. 333 Hongkong, 1st March, 1874. TRANSATIANTIO FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

Agents for the above Company, are pre- all premium charged for insurance; such dis. I count of Twenty percent. (20%) upon the SLEMSSEN & Co.,

tf 89 Hougkong, 16th November, 1872

Auctions.

THE UNDERMENTIONED LAND and to Sall by Public Anotion, INTIAND LOT 82. The well-known Hone THIS DAY. and offices lately occupied by Mesars. A. HEARD & Co., adjoining the Onthedral Compound. Cosmopulitan Docks, Kowloon,-

The Ground below the mesonry retaining Four Worthington PUMPS. ind extensive Godowne. Annual Crown Reut, \$324.

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6m 1620 Hongkong, 1st November, 1875. BENT Glasgow, and Mesers. DAVID CORSAR &

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Apply at the Daily Press Office. POSITIVE GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIMITED

OHAS, H. MORGAN, ly 944 Hongkong, 18th June, 1875. YANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION

OF SHANGHAI.

NOTICE.

N and after this date the above Association will allow a Brokerage of THIRTY. THREE and ONE-THIRD PER CENT. 381 %) on Local Risks only. RUSSELL & Co.

of 1800 Hongkong, 4th June, 1874. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned Agents are in receipt of instructions from the Board of Directors. authorizing them to issue Policies to the extent of £10,000 on any one First-class Risk, or to the extent of £15,000 on Adjoining Risks at Current Rates. A Discount of 20 % allowed. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,

Pert, are prepared to grant Policies against China, and Australia. Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings or ou Goods stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

tf 717 Hongkong. 9th November: 1868 BATAVIA SKA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows :-MARINE RISKS. Policies at onrient rates, payable either here in London, or at the principal ports of India. Australia, and the East.

A BEOREEAGE of THIBTY-THISE and ONE. TRIED PER CENT, will be allowed on all LOCAL FIRE RISKS. Policies granted on First-class Buildings to LIVERPOOL AND LUNDON AND GLUBE an extent of \$20,000s

A DISCOUNT of TWENTY PER CENT. (20°).) RUSSELL & Co.

Houghong, let January, 1874.

intimations.

POSTPONEMENT OF SALE. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions the 22nd day of March, 1876, at Noon, at the

DONKEY PUMP. EXHAUST PIPES. SUCTION PIPES. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at pur-

chaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. A Steam Launch will leave Peddar's Wharf for the Docks at HALF-PAST ELEVEN o'clock. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Auctioneer 335 Hongkong, 11th March, 1876.

PUBLIC AUCTION. TANE, CRAWFORD & Co. bave received instructions from the Executors of the late Captain L. Young to Sell by Public Auction, at the London Inn. Queen's Road, THIS DAY,

the 22od March, 1876, at Noon,-The FURNITURE, Ac., therein, comprising:
-OHAIRS, TABLES, SIDEBOARD, EN-Pewter MUGS, GLASSWARE, WINES, and SPIRITS.

A BILLIARD TABLE, by STEAPLE and 2 Hogsbeads BEER,

THEMS OF SALE .- Cash before delivery in Mozioan Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lote, with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the bammer. 361 Hongkong, 18th March, 1876 PUBLIC AUCTION.

FIHE Undersigned will Sell by Public Aus TO-MOLROW, the 23rd March, 1876, at Noon, at his Sale Rooms, Queen's Road,-

50 Cases COGNAC. 15 Cases BITTERS. 20 Cases LIQUEURS. I Case Lamp SHADES Bozes RAISINS. TUMBLERS. White BUTTONS Watch GLASSES. PENKNIVES.

PENCILS. Perfumes. White and Colored FLANNELS.

14-Oar House BOAT, with Awning, Oars A quantity of Old IRON. By Order.

A 4-Oar House BOA'I, with Awning, Oars, &c., complete, belong to the Estate of the lat-F. A. SOUZA. TERMS OF SALE .- Cush before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description; at pur-

chaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Augtioncer. 878 Hongkong, 22nd March, 1876.

PUBLIC AUUTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions from H.M. Naval Storekeeper to Sell by Public Auction, on FRIDAY,

the 24th March, 1876, at 11 A.M., at H.M. Naval Yard,-Sundry NAVAL and VICTUALLING STORES, comprising:—
Old IRON, ZINC, GLASS, HOSES, LEA-THER, LIGNUM VITE, BLOCKS, &c. Blue CLOTA, DUCK, FLANNEL, RAGS, BISCUIT DUST, IMPLEMENTS, CASES,

One ICE-MAKING MACHINE. One WASHING MACHINE. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the bammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

and CANNISTERS.

Government Auctioneer. 864 Hongkong, 17th March, 1876. GENERAL WEEKLY SALE. T ANE, ORAWFORD & Co, will Sell by Public Auction, in their Sale Rooms,

FRIDAY. the 24th March, 1876, at Noon,-Electro-Plated Table SPOONS and FORKS. BUTTER DISHES, Oaks BASKETS, OO-LOGNE and LAVENDER WATER, COLD CREAM SMELLING SALTS, FELT and STRAW HATS, TOYS, Silber-light LIAMPS, Galvanized BASINS.

25 Doz. Day and Martin's BLACKING. 25 Doz. Swaine, Boord and Co.'s OLD TOM. 5 Useks CLARET. 2 Rolls Floor OIL CLOTH, 24 ft. wide. Old IRON and BRASS, TERMS OF BALE, Cash before delivery in MUSCATEL RAISINS.

Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots. with all faults and errors of description, at purchusers' risk on the full of the bammer. 374 Hongkong, 22nd March, 1876.

LUBECK FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF LUBBOK. THE Undersigned flaving been appointed THUMB BLUE. GENERAL AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to accept risks against Fire WINE and BEER TAPS. at ourrent rates, subject to a discount of 20 % EDUARD SOHELLHASS & Co... General Agents.

THE LONDON ASSUBANCE. INCORPOBATED BY BOYAL CHARTSE HIS MAJESTY KING GROUGE THE PIEST, A.D. 1720.

Agents THE undersigned having been appointed HENNESSY'S BRANDY. Agents for the above Corporation, are Covevoisies's BRANDY. commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, prepared to grant Insurances as follows: Victor Boulland's BRANDY. MARINE DEPARTMENT 14E Undersigned having been appointed Policies at entrent rates, payable cithe here. Agents to the above Company at this in London, or at the principal Ports of India,

> Policies issued for long or short periods at corrent rates. A discount of 20 % allowed; LIFE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for sums not exceeding 25,000, on reasonable terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf 1363 Honekone 26th July, 1872

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY I ROM this date, until further notice, a discount of Twenty percent. (20%,) upon the current local rates of premia will be allowed noon insurances effected with this Company. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

Agents. tf 1192 Houghong, 27th June, 1872 Insurance company.

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NEW DRESS MATERIALS, in Luce Stripe Japanese SILKS.

Plain, Figured, and Satin Stripe POPLINS. Stripe and Plaid MOHAIRS. Colored Foulard SILKS.

The best make of Black GRENADINES BANKING CORPORATION, Shangbai. guaranteed to wear. EW GOODS, most suitable for WASHING COSTUMES and MORNING WEAPPERS, COM-

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The LATEST DESIGNS in-Ladies and Children's COLORED LINEN, CAMBRIC, and BATISTE Ready-made EMBROIDERED GOSTUMES, very desirable for

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S. E. BURROWS & SONS.

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Large, hand-picked, doubled-surcened at \$8

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ENGLISH BACON in Tine. AMERICAN HAMS in Conves. AMBRICAN BACON in Canvas. AMERICAN SMOKED SALMON. CODFISH, in 4lb., 7lb., and 14lb. Tins. JORDAN ALMONDS. TURKEY FIGS. BARCELONA NUTS.

ENGLISH HAMS in Canvas.

OANDIED PRELS, Assorted. ORYSTALIZED FRUITS. MACCARONI, VERMICELLI. WASHING SODA. GLENFIELD STARCH CAVITE and FOSTIN OIGARS. DOWNTON'S FIRE ENGINES. OBOCKERY WARE.

GLASSWARE. MANILA ROPE, Assorted Sizes. BASS ALE, Bottled by CAMBRON and BAUN GUINNESS' STOUT, Bottled by E. and J. ATTRUK'S ALE, Pinte and Quarts. JEFFERY'S SCOTOH ALE, Pints and Quach. ALISOPP'S ALE, in Kilderkins.

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14 Hongkong, 1st March, 1876.

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Intimations. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE Steamship.

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"OUANG SE." Captain Jones, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 12th proxime, at 2 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. 22d 372 Hongkong, 22nd Murch, 1876. CHINA AND JAPAN MARINE INSUR ANCE COMPANY, IN LIQUIDATION.

DIVIDEND No. 2.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Fancy Colored GRENADINES and ON and after the 3rd APRIL, a SECOND DIVIDEND of Twenty-five Tacks (The GAUZES, in Silk Obeoks and Stripes. 25.00) per SHARE will be PAYABLE at the Offices of the Hongkong AND SHANGEAL Commodere J. E. PARISH, President. Warrants will be delivered upon presentation

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 25th March to the 3rd April, both days inclusive. By Order of the Liquidators, Action Secretary. 371 Changhai, 9th March, 1876.

on and after the 29th instant.

WANTED, & OLERK, Enropean preferred. Address "Y. Z." Office of French PERCALES, in all the Newest this Paper. 369 Hongkong, 21st March, 1876. THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY

> NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. TOTIOE is hereby given, that the Fifth Ordinary MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Read Office, Victoria, Hongwong, on FRIDAT, the 24th March, 1876, at 3 o'clock r.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to

(LIMITED).

By Order of the Board. OLYPHANT & Co., General Agents. 18d 312 Hongkong, 6th March, 1876. O. ROGERS, DENTAL SURGEON, No. 7. ARBUTHNOT ROAD. Has returned, and is ready to receive Patients. 227 Hongkong, 12th March, 1876.

The TRANSFER. BOOKS of the Company

MILLAR AND CO. HOUSE, SHIP, AND STEAMBOAT PLUMBERS. COPPERSMITHS, and BRASSFOUNDERS, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST AND NULLAH

STORAGE. COALS received on Storage in First class 26 Tug of War. Godowns of about 5,000 tons Capacity, situated on the Praya West, Wanchi. T. G. LINSTEAD. 1909 Hongkong, 18th November, 1874.

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HONGKONG AND WHAMPUA DOOR COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NIVIDEND WARRANTS for the DIVI-DEND to 31st Dec., 1875, at the rate of \$10 per Share our be obtained at the Office on and after 29th February. D. GILLIES, By Order, Secretary. No. 2. Club Chambers, Hongkong,

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

1 11 E Undersigned are prepared to GRANT

estant of 45,000 Dollars on Buildings or on Undersigned. Gods stored therein, at Current Local Rates. subject to a Discount of 20 %, on the premis. NORTON & Co.,

28th February, 1876.

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Agent, Sun Fire Office. 1335 Hongkong, 26th August, 1874. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are pro-

pared to GRANT INSURANCES at Current

T. G. LINSTEAD,

MELCHERS & Co.,

A. MoIVER, Agent.

Agents, Royal Insurance Company. ti 1780 Houghong, 28th October, 1874. LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT-INSURANCE OFFICE. 137. LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON ESTABLISHED 1843. THE Undersigned is authorised to accept risks on behalf of this Office, by First Class Steamers and Sailing Ships.

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tf Hongkong, lat July, 1867.

OENT. (15 %) only. SIEMSSEN & Co., tt 1028 Hongkoug, 1st July, 1874. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE

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on risks to ports in China, Japan, the Philip-

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Intimations.

NAVAL AND MILITARY ATHLETIC SPORTS.

With the kind permission of H.E. Major-General the Hon. F. COLBORNE, C.B., and under the Patronage of H.E. the Governor, Sir-ARTHUR KENNEDY, C.B., K.O.M.G., Vice-Admiral RYDER, and H.E. Major-General the Hon. F. COLBOBNE, U.B., the above SPORTS will be held

ON THE ORICKET GROUND, On FRIDAY and SATURDAY, 7th and 8th April, 1876.

COMMITTEE. Lieutemant-Colonel C. A. S. DICKINS, 28th Regiment, Vice-President.

Commander Durvis, R.N. Lieutenant-Commander PAUL, R.N. Lieutenant GODRICH, R.N. Major Budgen, R.A. Lieutenant GODSAL, R.E. Major Brodigan, 28th Regiment. Assistant-Commissary GAMMELL, Commissa-

Assistant-Commissary ARREE, Ordnance Department. Doctor Wilson, Medical Department. PROGRAMME. 1-100 Yards Flat Race.

riat Department.

2-440 Yards Flat Bace. 8-880 Yards Flat Race. Presented by Canteen Fund. H.M.S. Victor Emanuel. 4-1 Mile Flat Raco. Presented by W. M. Morgan: Esq. 5-2 Miles Flat Race. Presented by the Hongkong Racket Club.

6-High Jump. 8-120 Yords Huedle Ruco-10 flights. 9-Boy's Race-200 Yords Flat Race. 10-Veteran's Race 300 Yards. For men of .. 7 years service and over. 11 _200 Yards Race - Heavy Marching Order.

For Soldiers and Marines. 12-200 Yards Race-Heavy Murching Order. For Blue Jackets. 19-3 Legged Raue. 14 Wheel-barrow Race. 15-Water Bucket Racc. 16 Throwing the Oricket Bail. Presented by the Hongkong Cricket Clab.

17. Throwing the Hammer.

18-Putting the Shot.

19-Sack Race. 20-100 Yards Flat Race. Presented by the 21-300 Yards Flat Race, Hongkong Ath-22—880 Yards Flat Race letie Club. 23-1 Mile Flat Race. 24-120 Yards Hurdle Race-10 Flights: Presented by the Hongkong Athletia

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FIGTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HONGKONG, LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION. A LL Persons holding Warrants against anolaimed Dividends, Interest, or Bonus,

F. D. SASSOON. 1861 Pongkong, 20th December, 1875. Notices to Consignees.

ADOLF ANDRE,

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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agente.

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94 370 Hongkong, 20th March, 1876. STEAMSHIP HOOGLY. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. NOTICE. CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship Euphrate, from London, in connection

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Acting Agent. 816 Hongkong, 9th March, 1876.

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37. Park Row. Hongkong, January 3rd, 1876.

HONGEONG, MARCE 22ND, 1876. Or all her outlying territories Formesa certainly China's most valuable possession But the Chinese Government has only very done so. recently shown any approiation of this fact. attempts to develop its rich mineral resources and expand its trade, but they have suffered the China butcher, who is also a professor of the island to be woefully misgoverned, and surgery. He immediately proceeded to work the aborigines have neither been subdued and put the bones in place, procured a young nor checked. In fact, the affairs of the and with the mangled fowl bound up the arm island have received no attention whatever in a firm and compressed manner. In less than from the Imperial Government, and the bis fingers, and this butcher-surgeon says the Governor of Fohkien, who has nominally arm will be well in a week. ruled it, has generally been content to leave its control and management to his subordinates. All this, however, is on the point of being changed. At least it would appear so, for the higher officials are now interesting themselves in the affairs of this once-neglected dependency. About a month since we remarked upon some administrative reforms which were shortly to be inaugurated in the the daim was for wages. island, and now we learn that these are to Peking Gazette of the 24th ultimo on the subject is worthy of notice. The rise of the jewelry. on by the Prince as forming ground for an gard to the latter port, he remarks that to go to Mr. Huffam's side. instead of residing at Taiwan, and the "marine" troops are to be converted into

the Chinese Government lave at last become

advantages to be derived

hossession of Formosa. The

of extracting the mineral by skilled English colliers. When the machinery is actively at may be expected in a few years to become a large and important one. Other branches of trade are also steadily on the increase, and is not unlikely that further discoveries of The territory new practically abandoned to the aborigines may turn out rich in mineral deposits, and it is to be regretted that no efforts are ever made to explore it. The Chinese Authorities at defiance, but render themselves dreaded by the Chinese colonists.

The Imperial troops almost invariably come

pagic and slaughtered some two hundred

of the island in reality, as well as in name,

it is time they did something to assert their

supremacy and reduce the savages to sub-

mission and order. They will, however,

ne or be able to accomplish much in this

direction until they send over a large body

of European drilled troops, who have been

taught the proper use of their weapons. The

ordinary Chinese soldier is no more fit to

meet these active and daring mountaineers

than he is to face the disciplined legions of

Europe. His training totally unfits him for

warfare with such, or indeed with any foe-

The sconer the Chinese Government recognise

this fact the better it will be for the main-

tenance of their power. The best method

they can adopt for bringing the whole island

into subjection is to push their military posts

gradually into the interior, making roads by

which communication can be kept well open,

and encouraging Chinese from the mainland

sive than is required for the population, and

obedience to some constituted authority.

arrived at with them. If they were con-

more efficiently for the protection

this end. Until the lawless aborigines are

We (Shanghai Courier) have been favoured

that the ship Star of the West, which, during the

came to Obico for assistance, and called upon

rooster, killed it. and broke every bone in it.

SUPREME COURT.

March 21st.

SUMMLEY JURISDICTION.

EFFORE ME. JUSTICE SNOWDEN.

CLAIM FOR WAGES.

He worked from 1st January to 4th February

BREACE OF CONTRACT.

CHU AWAI v. E. MOORE, 48.65,-Plaintiff

has commenced reloading her cargo,

difference made up the chim. savages still not only successfully set the bad not so many of the quality be wanted, and breaking be had ever known. he therefore agreed for 750 of one quality and of another. He sent him first 500, being in the case, the former of whom had captured Although the year has not been passed with day afternoon also, a despente youth having papers. The overland Courier with letters 250 of one kind and 250 of another, and he was the first prisoner and the latter rendered assists to the steamers, the company has gambled away all his cash and being refused his only, anticipated the Millet by three days. It to send him 500 more of the best kind instead tame, were warmly commended by the judge, been fortunate in lessing none. The fleet is daily quantum of rice and delicacies by his ma- was some consolation for the long sectation to The Imperial troops almost invariably dome to send ma sour more of the long sedlation to send my quantum of the send the send to his learn that you have been duly and has been tend relative, resolved to put an end to his learn that you have been duly and has been the governor refused to accept the Governor to reward. They increased by a new iron river steamer, the hull gambling proclivities and his life at the same days, while we have been enjoying the most the aborigines made a descent upon a camp. He made the contract himself with the had, he said, not only shown that they were arrived here in account to the contract himself with the had, he said, not only shown that they were arrived here in account to the contract himself with the had, he said, not only shown that they were arrived here in account to the contract himself with the had, he said, not only shown that they were arrived here in account to the contract himself with the had. To accomplish his object he took off his delightful clear frosty weather that can well be of Imperialist soldiers, threw them into a Chinaman. The claim was in respect of the honest men themselves, but that they wished to Glasgow, and was launched on the 80th No. shore, and made himself a bod beside a wet imagined. There a no doubt about it, Obeloo 500 lamns refused.

Mr. Brereton then put in receipt for \$25 on; dishonesty in others. of them. If the Chinese intend to be masters [account, properly stamped, and which his Lordship said constituted a contract. Government for the second 500. He bad an large without inwill excuse.

> business, Mr. Bastos." was not noting officially in this matter; he was instintend to remain in the Colony. ment would buy them from him. Mr. Bastos proseque on the first indictment.

defendant himself on one occasion. nation of plaintiff, who has only a slight know- undergo the same penalty, part of which he had was known that the vessel was leaking. ledge of English. Mr. Bozario was ongaged undergone when he was granted his conditional The Charaman and that was a mistake, the This morning a little after 11 o'clock the dis- During the Formosan excitement, a similar in the Criminal Sessions, and no other inter- pardon. He would accordingly be sentenced to Fusiyama was not leaking at all at Kinkiang, cordant beating of the harmonious gong order was issued to all local magnetiates to preter could be found who understood Por- three years' penal servitude. tuguese quilitiently well to not as interpreter [Prisoner asked if the time he had already

Mesers. Siemssen and Oo. At the close of last on the 18th of the present month, the first day year he agreed with plaintiff to purchase for of the sessions. Government of Macao, He tried several go after the three years. to emigrate and take up the land. The country shops and anally agreed with defendant. De- His. Lordship said his sentence was three rather a favourite stenmer. occupied by the aborigines is far more extent fendant was to give him 750 the same as the years' penal servicade. What might be done sample produced, and 250 of another pattern, with him at the end of that time he did not formation given. Witness sent 500 away which were all right. He know. No don't the man would like to have Mr. Robinson if not colonised by the Chinese, the inhabitants sent the others after, but did not examine them. the run of the Colony. should at all events be compolled to yield He afterwards heard from Mr. Marques that the Government had refused them. Wilness was to get a commission of 5 per cent. He had paid

Some kind of understanding could surely be defendant for the whole 1,000. Defendant was then called and said he made the agreement for the sale of the lamps with vinced that the Chinese had made up their Mr. Bastos at 40 uents each. On account of minds to establish peace and order on the 500 of the lamps being of a different pattern be took off 3 cents each. Mr. Bastos subsequently came to his shop and made a" bobbery" saying | American ship Nightingale, was obarged with to the yoke. At present they feel nothing the Macao Government refused to take them. breaking a glass clock shade. but unqualified contempt for the Chinese, He changed 370 of them and promised to SWATOW Measrs. Quelch and Campbell. whose pretensions to authority they openly change the remaining 130 when he could get the shop of Leung Achang to buy a silk hankerthem. Mr. Bustos said "alla no wanches." obief and the prisoner, being drunk, fell against FORMOSA...... Messrs. Wilson, Nicholls & Co. scorn. They are consequently a source of When Mr. Bastos came the first time both the shade and it got broken. His companion constant trouble, and will assuredly continue samples were shown to him, and he said the refused to allow the prisoner to pay for the glass. NINGPO.... Messrs, Kelly & Co., Shanghai, to be so as long as the Chinese are content lamps were wanted for Callao. There was (\$2.75), consequently be gave him into custody. nothing said about Mr. Marques or the Macao to allow the relations now existing between Government. He debited the lamps to Mr. HANKOW and Messes. Hell & Holtz and Kelly the two races to last. The changes recom. Bastos, and now produced his book with an entry to that effect, He did not see Mr. Mar- bard labour for the largeny of a large log of mended by Prince Kung are good enough ques until after Mr. Bastos had said the Goso far as they go, and indicate a desire vernment did not want the lamps.

In cross-examination defendant said Mr. as a sumple to mark all the boxes. He did not Queensland, were fined 10 cents each for drunken-Formosa, but they do not touch on the know what the name was at the time, or the ness word Mucao. Mr. Bastos at first told him he John Dunn, firemen on board the British would have to write to Mr. Marques to get steamship Queensland was charged, with William Chinese rule over the eastern half of the money to pay him! island. The Prince would do well to tollow

wrote the directions himself. He only owed state. 130 lamps now, as 370 had been taken. There were three kinds in the 370, but all the chim-BANGKOK Messra. Malherbe, Jullien & Co. reduced to subjection there is little prospect | neys were alike. He was told that if the chim-LONDON Mr. F. Algar, Clement's Lane of internal tranquillity being secured in neys were all alike they would do. He paid the goolies for taking the boxes to the steamer Formosa, or of the land being tenanted by the at Mr. Bastos' request.

Lee Chuu Tai, defendant's accountant, corro-In cross examination witness said. Mr. Bastos lirected the boxes containing the first 500 him-We learn that H.M.S. Egerta will convey Mr. self, and for the second 500 he gave a sample, Sz To Wan, assistant to defendant, also gave R. J. Forrest, British Consul for Kiungchow, corroborative evidence." Hainan, to that port from Canton. Sir Brooke Robertson will accompany him to his desting.

This concluded defendant's case. Mr. Bastos, recalled, said he never mentioned Calluo to defendant. Mr. Holmes contended that there was no evidence to show that there was a contract between plaintiff and defendant.

voyage from New York to Shanghai put into His Lordship said an undiscovered principal. might step in at any time. Rie Janeiro leaky, on the 21st January last. Mr. Holmes further contended that the whole transaction had been closed, and the money presumable therefore that she will resume her paid at least a month before defendant knew voyage in a few days, if she has not already Mr. Marques had anything to do with it: also that Mr. Bastos agreed to accept lamps A Californian journal has the following :- different from the sample, and that, if he had Not only have they utterly neglected all Last week, at Jacinto, a Chinaman got his left exceeded his powers as agent, defendant was arm broken between the wrist and elbow. He not affected by it.

Mr. Brereton was replying when the Court rose, and the case was adjourned until Friday.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

BEFORE UNIEF-JUSTICE SIR JOHN SMALE. HOUSE BREAKING. Lo Abo, Ho Akin, and Lee Tak Chan were indicted on a charge of bousebreaking.

Crown solicitor, prosecuted. Prisoners were The gentlemen on the jury were Mestre. M.

Smith, F. Guedes, W. H. Notley, and G. A.

and been in defendant's employ as mafoo, and Star Tavers in this town, and it was for the bave been brought to a point which will admit meeting, be accepted, and passed." Plaintiff said bis wages were \$14 per month. jury to inquire whether the two priessers in as a profit on working account, even though Mr. Gunder seconded, and the motion was be supplemented by other changes. A for which he received \$7 on account. On the took place in that house, accompanied with obtained last year. The accidents to the stee. Mr.A.O. WESTALL next moved "That Mr. the dock were concerned in a robbery which there should be much less business than was carried nem, con. momorial by the Prince of Kung in the latter date he was discharged, and the balance house-breaking, on the evening of the 27th mers Fusiyana and Chilli were of a serious W. Scott Fitz be elected President; and Messrs. of wages due to him was not paid. He was Pebruary. On that evening Mrs. Hallowell was nature in the cost of repairs, which was charged F. H. Bell, F. Nissen, J. M. Vickers, and F. D. discharged because the boy had stolen some told something bad been going on upstairs, and has, we may say, Hitch be elected Directors; and Mr. Rowley she went up to their bedroom. She there found made a difference against the ag ports of Tameuigand Koung is commented In reply to defendant plaintif said there the door looked against her, but having got into of about Tis. 15,000. A considerable sum has general meeting." were two men in the stable on the morning the room the whole place was found a great again been written of the wooden Mr. Robinson had much pleasure in secondhe was discharged. He had not been told not confusion. Drawers had been ransacted, and steamers, which put themat such low valuations ling the motion. * augmentation of the official staff. With re- lo allow men to sleep in the stable, but only not the window on the vernidah had been burst that in the event of any of them being lost, open. That constituted the breaking of the writing off the value as now represented would although the country adjacent does not stable, and part of his agreement was that no chest mow in court. This chest contained enco to the assets of the Company. Amongst tendered to the Chairman and Board of Discourt the assets of 1874 the start of machinery rectors for their survices during the nast year." Defendant said he only occupied half of the house. On the verandah was found the iron not be seriously felt. The next item has refer seconded, "That a cor ist vote of thanks be suffice, after other arrangements bave been one should be allowed to eleep in it. He gave jewelry to the value of about \$1,500, \$700 6dd the assets of 1874 the ten value of machinery rectors, for their services during the past year." made, for the area of a separate district, yet, strict orders to the plaintiff not to allow men to in silver, and policies of a separate district, yet, strict orders to the plaintiff not to allow men to in silver, and policies of insurance and said material, es stramore Runglooms and tince the port was opened to trade it has two to do so. He therefore discharged him, room screwed down, to the floor. The thieves appeared, by being transferred to emith's shop Notes. become a place of general resort, and now At the same time there had been a robbery, bad broke the floor away and lifted the chest account, and after writing down the value the that coal mining is on the point of being of which the boy was convicted and for which up with the board adhering. When it was precount now stands at Tie. 49,986.09. Although be was sent to prison for twelve months. One found on the verandah there was a rope round this value has been reduced to represent about officially introduced, a large influx of popula- of the men who had slept in the stable was con- it, there was a bamboo leaning against the actual value of old iron and cost of new tion may be expected, whilst at the same vioted of pawning the things and was sentenced the roof, and everything was ready for material which is in stock, all the property

him, and it would be for the jury to say whether The Directors beg to submit to the share. Governor will proceed to make a personal tour The junk, Being bottom up, was towed by the Courier. A.O. MARQUESV, Wong Sury Sano, \$309.50. he was connected with the robbery or not, The bolders the accounts of the Compuny for the of inspection, and will deal out rewards and wiver police to the short at the garden entrance. -This was a claim for damages on account of share of the third prisoner in the transaction year 1875, believed he was stating a correct principle of The 196,000.65. After paying the declared none dare to disobey, &c., ac. N.C. Dady News. News.

Mr. Broreton, in opining the case, said law, when he said that when who took that dividends of 7 per cent, and returns to conplaintiff resided at Macto and entered into a part was as much guilty as the man who broke tributors of freight, there remains at Oredit of contract with the Municipal Council of Macao into the house and committed the robbery. The Profit and Loss a balance of Tls. 15,207.43. crouse, and the trade in this valuable mineral lighting. He made an agreement with de-confession. After the first prisoner had been and Depreciation Fund. This account is defendant for the supply of the lamps, which were affected to took the police to this man, who bited with Tla 80,000, written off the cost of to be of a certain quality. The first 500 were admitted he had been engaged by him and steamer property, depreciation of spare machidelivated, accepted and paid for. The another man to watch. second 510, however, were not supplied Evidence was then called.

sustained that the notion was brought, against the third prisoner.

Lee Apoong and Wong Abe, two witnesses returns.

*A BETUBNED CONVICT. Oban Achoy was charged with attempting to converted into a pontoon. Plaintiff then produced a letter from Mr. break into the house of Woo Aman on the large and the Manage of the Monicipal Council of Manage 26th February; also that in May, 1871, he was as director, Mr. J. M. Vickers was elected for didate for posthumous fame; and the misguided for their special accommodation. A new Club couts for the first lot and for ents for the second. | years' penal servitude, that he was pardoned in consequence of defendant supplying him with returning to the Colony, and that on the 26th the inferior quality, he lost the contract with the February, 1876, he was found feloniously at

In cross-examination, plaintiff eaid be was Prisoner pleaded not guilty to the first very first voyage after the accident she carried blocks of tin had been stolen from a hong here, ing a lot of trees all round the coast. Whether The parties,—two in number,—who carried the this is meant as an exonse for a squeeze, or Crown Solicitor, prosecuted. in the employ of the Government at Macao, but charge; he admitted the second, but said he did a full cargo. told to procure the lamps, and that the Govern- The Attorney General entered a noile cause some Chinese had told him that they had suthorities a visit, and are now regaling (f) say; but at any rate a huge proclamation has

been in prison would count.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE March 21st.

Before JAMES RUSSELL, Esq.

Obarles Summer, a seamon on board

Ohun Asing, a coolie, was sent to 14 days wood at Wanchi.

Lakeland, with being drunk and attempting to In re-examination plaintiff anid Mr. Bastos | net off to their ship in a gale and in a drunken They were fined 50 cents each.

LATEST TELEGRAMS

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."

CAPTURE OF THE SULTAN ISMAIL. SINGAPORE, 20th March. Sultan Ismail bas been delivered up to the Government by Rajah Quedab, and is expected

at Penang to-day.

LONDON, 18th March. The Marquis of Hartington's motion has been rejected. The Commons went into committee on the Title Bill.

THE SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATION OOMPANY

The annual general meeting of the above Company was held on the 15th instant. Present Mr. W. Scott Fitz, in the chair; Mesers. Bell, Hitch, Nissen, and Vickers, Directors; Tourburn, Butler, Lovett, Tootal, Robinson, agents, Little, Westall, Gundry, Cordier, Bisset, Forbes, Wheeler, Miller, Tiefenbacher, Noetzli, Wheelock, J. Mackenzie, Koo-foong-sing, and Chop-

net earnings show a slight increase of profit on ship, consisting of shareholders. That was all, The first prisoner-pleaded guilty, and the those of 1874, which must be satisfactory to the No other observations being offered, Shareholders, as it proves that with a smaller The Attorney-General, in stating the charge, quantity of cargo carried by the steamers than looked into. He then proposed . That the acsaid the presecutor, Thom & Hallowell, kept the bas been the case for many years, the expenses counts for the year 1875, as presented to the

time manifold questions of naval defence and to four months imprisonment, and the other, lowering the obest down. A man was seen Temains as before, and includes many valuable open country uncovered with trees, a thing being a suspicious character, was sent to prison on the roof with bleeding feet. That man pieces of heavy machinery which will be avail which is to be regretted; and whereas it is now judicial administration will also present them for saven days. Under these circumstances he jumped down and was lost sight of for able for replacing similar pieces that may be necessary that steps should be taken to remedy selves. It is therefore proposed to station did not think plaintiff was entitled to his wages, about half a minute, but some one ran out broken on the steamers; and in this way large this defect so as to afford a means of shelter live an assistant sub-Prefect there, abolishing to as be was responsible for the men being on the into the street and found prisoner, whose feet expenses will be saved instead of replacing by and protection, I the Governor, am sending were bleeding. All over the roof were tracks of new articles. The smith's shop will be gred ted officers to consult with the local anthorities and atodests are thus assisted at order as mulicities. this end the assistant sub-Freiestship of His Lordship said he had nothing to do with bloody feet, and the things produced were found with them at fair values, whenever used, and to exhort to common action. Now, therefore, that is held. The total number of candidates, Komalan. The Prince of Kong then proceeds the robbery, and plaintiff was entitled to his in his pocket so that it would be useless for him eventually the account is likely to show a con- be it known to all your soldiers and common of course, is very much larger but a deal of to discuss the question of the rearrangement in the various villages and bamiets as good is still done, and the Tactai is certainly of the military commands in P local officials have in constant use on follow: When the local officials have in constant use on follow: When the local officials have in constant use on follow: When the local officials have in constant use on follow: When the local officials have in constant use on follow: When the local officials have in constant use on follow: When the local officials have in constant use on follow: When the local officials have in constant use on follow: When the local officials have in constant use of the philanthrophic of the military commands in Formosa, and servent was entitled to what money he had too would be as to the other two. He Akin ordinary work connected with the officers sent by me fixed upon the example which he sets.—Shanghai Courier. remarks, en passant, on the liability of the lattile start, and will be observed that the same and will be observed the same and the island, with its constline of more than three the current month. He would therefore give robbery. After being discharged is shall proceed to plant each its own share of board the steamer Diomed moored to Mesars. hundred miles to a hostile landing at any point, judgment for plaintiff for \$7, the balance of his cook-house pert door, where he was on the day consequence of a bond having been sold in part coast, the portions to adjoin one another so as Butterfield and Swire's buoy of the Hongkew Among other changes, the Brigadier-General month's wages, and 25 cente, which plaintiff did of the routers. The balance in to form a continuous line along the coast of 10 | Wharf, were leaving the vessel for dinner, not dispute, but for the four days in February tavern and the house on the roof of which the the agents hands of Tis. 51,226 was about one low length of the agents hands of Tis. 51,226 was about one low and suffering lately from the Emperor downward, in command of the forces is to be stationed he would make no order. As plaintiff had other prisoner was seen. But only one man half represented by unteranguage and the state of the second make in order. As plaintiff had other prisoner was seen. But only one man half represented by unteranguage and the second make it appearance which our henceforward at Apping, on the coast, brought this about by his own misconduct, no appeared to have been seen on the roof, so that have now been collected, though, as had been the trees are to be for the meeting occupants were, however, all saved, some by Chinese informant calls how-oben; presumthey could not say what became of the assist- usual, the entire amount appears in cash. Our willow, but the elm and other kinds that are not life buoys thrown from the steamer, some by a ably quinsy or diphthers. It broke out first in ante be must have bad. They had therefore no relations with the China Navigation Company difficult to grow, may be intermixed. The object cargo boat lying astern, and others by a Euro- the family of a mandarin or some rank pamed S. E. BURROWS AND ANOTHER STANFORD, direct evidence to his the second man with continue to be of the upper friendly and satis is to bave a thick and close foliage imperetrable pear boat which happened to be near. The Tang, who lives in the Hlang-loo Ying. Lindy! The eight nalive cruisers, which \$25742; SPRATT and Another very nature. I might add that, of the eye, and therefore those kinds of trees exchement had hardly embedded when the Tang was first seized, and apon bearing of her \$176.43; DAYLE v. STANFORD, \$128.83.—In the examination of the first prisoner at the amount set down as invested in United States that are slow in growth and have stunted foliage steamer Nanking, steaming up the flood tide, illness, her father, a gentleman of different these cases-Robert Stanford was summoned by police court the doors were shut, and this Beids a portion stands and this Beids a portion stands and the are not to be used. The trees must be purchased bad a very narrow escape from coming into through similarly pronounced name, lost to time are to be disposed of; and the protection of the proprietors of the Hongkong Timber Yard, prisoner, upon whom the police had bad other portion at 5 per cent. They in the bands and planted, and the whole thing completed collision with the steamer Newada, which was in coming to visit his daughter. Soon after be the coast is to be confided to the steamships and the proprietors of the Cosmopolitan Dook their eye since they heard of the robbery, of Mesers. Baring Brothers, as agents of the underweigh to get alongside the M. B. Whart arrived however, the lady died; and on returnfor amount of accounts due for timber supplied, was seen to open the door and slip S.S.N. Company. The bonds have always been planting is finished, the village elders, the She just managed to clear her, but only at the ing to his own house, he was taken with the of the Foochow Arsenzi. It is very apparent, and by Mess s. Sayle and Co. for amount of out. A constable ran after him, and the hands of that firm, and they have cold tepace and notables shall be responsible for the expense of running down a native ballast boat, same symptoms and died too. Since then the was found concealed in one of the rooms lected the interestfor them. If my further er preservation of the trees, and they must take with three men on board. As soon as the disease has spread and a number of persons The defendant did not appear, and judgment of the police buildings. They would put togs- planation is asked for I shall be gled to give it. the strongest measures to provent then being accident occurred the American man-of-war have been out off. It seems however to be on-

balance at credit of Tls. 586,011.06.

Plaintiff was to receive 95 cents each for the The first prisoner was sentenced to three, were it but for the few minutes. Up to the time of my writing very rainy .- N. C. Daily News. lamps and was to pay defendant 37 cents; the | years' penal servicude, and the third, who is a carrying trade on the company's lines, the this, the corpse has not been removed, as the cripple, to two years imprisonment with hard profits would have been largely increased. It Chinese anthorities are endeavouring to dis-Plaintiff said he entered into a contract with | labour. His Lordship, in passing sentence, said is through careful ceremonies that the present cover his relations, and the charitably disposed defendant for the purchase of 1,000 lamps. He it was one of the most audacious eases of house- result has been obtained, and any improvement are afraid to bury the body, from a fear that the

> nesist in the detection and punishment of vember. The steamer has been numed Szechuen, grave; and then twisting a piece of straw rope is the place. We hope your invalids and and should be ready for service by next May.

He agreed to give defendant 37 cents each. To February, 1873, on condition of his not again intended to make any compensation to the provided with a cup of tes, and afterwards It will be a commodious building and in a good Chinese who had suffered loss in the Fueigama? politely attended on by a Obinese constable who position. The CHAIRMAN-It is not.

agent in Hongkong for the transaction of this The Attorney-General, instructed by the Chinese shipping goods by the Fusiyana?

been forced to ship in the Fusiyamer when the themselves at the expense of the storesaid appeared on the subject. I have been favoured acted for him in Hongkong, but he saw There were a number of previous convictions accident occurred, and that they had no option such or the stolen with a rough translation, a copy of which I lefendant himself on one occasion.

against prisoner, and His Lordship said he saw in the matter; as the goods were in the S.S.N. property has been discovered, and in due course send you. If it is really attempted to put the godowns, and were shipped at a time whom it the tin will be returned, thanks to the efforts of thing in force, the price of young trees will rise previous to her departure.

Mr. Hiron added that the Francisma had broken out somewhere, which somewhere was senergetic official, anxious to carn an extra step. carried more passengers since she had been re- | discovered to be in the Maloo, beyond the managed by buying up all the hides far and H. M. Baston said he was an assistant to His Lordahip mid the term would commence paired than she did before for many years. The CHAIRMAN said be did not think the Chinese bastened to the spot, the former to to the provincial Capital when a counter edict accident had affected the Fusiyant in the make themselves generally useful, and the latter was issued, saying that the Formosan difficulty him 1,000 kerosone lamps for the Municipal Prisoner then asked if he would be allowed to slightest. She had always since had very full simply to block up the way. The Chinese being settled, no hides were required. For the cargoes. In fact she seemed to have become | Guild Fire Dugies being a small one was early nazt six months, hides were a drug on the

Mr. Robinson would like to ask upon what body of book-and-ladder then; these worked burry to buy trees.-N. C. Doily News. premises was the amount set down for deprecia. with a will, pulling down all they could lay

tion, calculated f The CHAIRMAN said Tis. 27,500 were written | city arrived; they were accompanied by men off the value of machinery and old iron , with pitchforks, swords, banners, gonge Tis, 25,000 off the Fusiyania, Tie, 15,000 off the and umbrellas. The baunces and Hirado, Tis. 10,000 off the Shanse, and Tis. 2,500 I men gut on the roofs and seemed to defy the off the Szechuen; which made the whole flames which wisely did not spread. Lustly Tis. 80,000. The reason for writing off those come the Police Engine which had to make steamers, was because they stood at a higher in wide defour to get to the scene of the conflacomparative value than the others, and it seemed gration. The men had to drug it through ditches better to the Directors to have them at less | and down narrow lance, and it was only by the cost. They were now so very low that it would | greatest exertion that is was got to the fire at It appears the prisoner and another went into not be necessary to write any more off them in all. Considering the narrowness of the streets

Mr. Little-Why not give a list of them for for Ningpo. The Ohe-baien and other officials put in an appearance, as did also a jolly sou of The CHAIRMAN said because it was not the sea (?), the Chinese Admiral, Sixty-two thought necessary. The list was given last apartments were bornt out, and had it not been year, and it did not appear necessary to go for the firewalls which surrounded the pince the prospect very inviting of being joined, while

further into details the following year. Mr. Robinson said be ought to apologise for lot of valuable farniture was destroyed. Itaptroubling so much, because be was inexperienced | pears that a man was smoking a long pipe and with regard to these items of account, and accidentally knocked the ashout upon a cotton might therefore ask questions which a more ex- quilt. This amouldered for a time, and burst John Sullivan, James Madden, and Samuel perienced person would avoid. But what he into fiame after the door of the room had been Bastos gave him the name of Mr. Marques Goff, firemen on board the British steamship was going to ask, was interesting to himself, looked, hence the catastrophe. and might be interesting to the meeting. He would like to know in whose name the steamers which formed the property of the Company | ting, appears to be waking up to the fact that

some of the seabourd districts are not con-The CHAIRMAN said the steamers and all the tributing towards the replenishment of the property of the Company stood in the name of [Imperial coffers. He has already sent the President of the Company for the time | expedition to some islands lying N.W.

Mr. Robinson asked how could steamers be | quoto of sycee. He has now arranged another registered in the name of an unknown person ? | expedition to preceed to an island called Nan-The CHAIRMAN suid there was always a Pre- | tien about half a degree S.W. from here. ident in office. When the steamers were first | Commissionera are to be Jui Tuo-t'ai of registered, they were put in the name of the Ningpo, and Tang an expectant Tao tai. then President, and the same system had been These are to be accompanied by a number of is here also a separate enclosed bath for women. adopted ever since.

to deal with them. 3,960 packages of merchandist, 252 being chests The CHAIRMAN-Yes, as President of the of optum. She lawes again this evening.-Mr. Robinson-And of the real estate? Mr. HITCH-That is also in the name of the President of the S. S. N. Co. for the time being. Mr. ROBINSON must my he thought it was a

very irregular and unusual way of holding land. The Chairman-It has been so for many Mr. Robinson would suggest that it would o found a very inconvenient way of holding valuable property in case of a legal dispute, and | Nanking. that it should be alter d. If the Company would consult their legal adviser, he (Mr. Robinson) believed he would advise an alteration.

The CHAIRMAN said the point bad never been raised before, but he would look into the matter. Mr. Robinson said he supposed the bonds which represented the assets of the Company, damage being doze. were also in the President's name P The CHAIRMAN said no: the bonds stood the name of the Shanghai Steam Navigation

Messre. W. Paterson, Daniel, Hinokley, Jones, Company, for which Messre. Baring Brus. were

Mr. ROBINSON said it was not legally a company : and he would suggest that a change should be made in that arrangement too. The bonds should be put in some one's name, -in The CHAIRMAN, in introducing the business | the names of one or two of the directors, or at The Attorney-General, instructed by the of the meeting, said-This meeting has been least of some definite persons capable of suing called to present the accounts of the Company and being sued. If it should over become nofor the past year. The Report having been in | cessary to take legal action on the bonds as at your possession for several degs. I propose that present placed, it would be found very inconit be taken as read, but perhaps some few ob. venient, because there was no such thing as the servations upon it might be interesting. The S. S. N. Company-there was only a partner-

consisted of elaborate convings in black-wood. The CHAIRMAN said the matter would be

several wealthy Ohi ese gentlemen from

The meeting then separated .- N. C. Daily

PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR given theme being of course a principal feature OF SHANTUNG." Whereas the coast of Shantong consists of

cut or carried away. In the 4th most, the Yantis sent several bouts to render assistance, tirely confined to the natives. - Shanghai loreign machinery, and the appeared for plaint if, and Mr. Holmes for the alarm to the others, He (the Attorney Gineral) accounts of the Steamers and Godowns is tion of their persons and property, therefore let below when the accident occurred.—N. C. Daily have studied your own nature deeply," was the

KIUKIANG.

NINGPO.

directed him to the limits of the settlements,

hold of. From time to time engines from the

H.E. Yang, Fa-t'ai of the province of Ohe-

lesser mandarins and soldiers

Shanghai Courur Correspondent.

SHANGHAI.

in getting clear of each other without much

We hear that Sung Obe-beien has departed

for Nanking on business connected, it is said.

object of his business may be, but are informed

that he is an nooredited messenger from the

Tao-t'ai to the Viceroy Shen Pao-obon. Another

bar gone up to help discuss the advisability of

theory however appears to us the more probable

porcelain screens painted by hand, vasca of all

sizes in black, gold and scarlet lacquer, as well-

as those painted in the ordinary a vie and a

great variety of other objects, all valuable and

curious in their respective ways. These form

are worth much money from their antiquity.

Feng Tao-t'ai appears to be if not a very

munificent as least a very liberal and public-

spirited patron of letters. It is not generally

private library in the city, for the benefit of

needy scholars. Four times every year, in the

spring, summer, autumu, and winter respectively,

be holds an examination of any student who

in the proceedings; and those who acquit them.

selves most creditably are allowed the privilege

of using this library. Besides this, the Tao-t'ai

presents the successful candidates with money

of their studies; and we hear that about twenty

liker to present simself, essay-writing on

hibited at Paris some years ago.

locality with his presence again.

March 10th. 11th March. Yesterday morning after the steamship Kiangso The marderers of the Cantonese boy employed work the outturn of coal will speedily in to supply 1,000 kerosens lamps for street tonly evidence against following the Hornet have not yet been approa bont containing some three or four hundred bonded; but the authorities have offered a dollars' worth of hemp and medicine was fast reward of Tla. 100,-The fines imposed on tened to one of the steamer's paddle wheels, several residents for nonregistration have been nery, and materials of smith shop, leaving a When least expected, from some cause or other, remitted on appeal to Shanghai. Besides the the wheels revolved, and as a consequence over arguments advanced by the appellants, it seems according to sample, in consequence of The charge against the second prisoner was . The net earnings of the steamers compare went the boat, and its contents floated up the that the Consular no ification gave people to which plaintiff lost his contract with the not pressed. A wording for not guilty was favourably with those of the same period last river. Fortunately no lives were lost. In the the 28th February to register; yet the gentlemineral wealth will take place by and byo. Government. It was in respect of the loss so returned against him, and a verdict of guilty rear, notwithstanding the competition which afternoon an old man was walking in the settle- men fined registered on the 26th; and still the has existed throughout the whole time; and ment when he slipped down and expired in a penalty was inflicted !- The weather continues

in business cannot fail to give most satisfactory dead man's relations may turn up and nocuse in upon by the arrival of the Millet on the 25th them of being the cause of his death. Yester of February, bringing bugs upon bags of news-

round his neck, strove by tightening the two scekers after pleasure will not commit the The condemned etequer Hangchow has been ends to strongle himself. However, the writer vulgar mistake of going to Japan sgain this and a member of the Ningpo Police Force who year. And apropos of that, it may interest Mr. Little would like to ask whether it was youth was taken to the station, where he was House too is being built on the land adjoining.

The only bit of public naws that I have to Mr. LITTLE-Has the accident stopped the and respectfully requested him not to favour our give you, is that a happy thought seems to have struck the Provincial Authorities of I mentioned in a former letter that some fortifying the whole of the Province by plant-Mr. LITTLE said be saked the question be- tin away into the country, have paid the city whether it is meant to be carried out, I cannot Mr. Golding our Superinterdent of Police in the market-there is no doubt about that. announced to the community that a fire but sapply an enormous quantity of ox-hides. One Rice Course. A number of foreigners and near to raise his quota, and was sending them on the spot, and did good service by preventing market, and our friend knew to his cost the Mr. LITTLE said he was obliged for the in- the flames from spreading to the adjoining difference between the buying and selling price. property. Next came Major Watson with a It is more than probable that he will be in no

NANKING.

While the mineral waters of Japan have been argely availed of by its foreign residents. many, even from China, undertaking the expensive journey thither to enjoy the luxury of a sulphur bath, the springs here in our midst seem scarcely to be known. A little from the main road between Nanking and Chinkiang. about 60 li from the former at a place called Fent'on there is a salphur spring. It has been enclosed with stone steps and a shed built over the engine appears to be far too heavy and large it, having rude sents running round three sides. It is used by the natives, but being free and no one in charge, its surroundings are not quite in accordance with European ideas. Nor is the bathing, by a leper or some equally agreeable flames would have done much more damage. A companion. The water is duite warm and flowing continually. A small spring by the road side was so hot that I could not bear my hand in it for any length of time. On the opposite side of the river from Hsia-kwan, at s village called Tang-t'suen, some 50 is inland from P'uk'ou is another solphur spring, and here I enjoyed a most refreshing bath. This is also free to all, but though many were anxious to bath at the time, and very many more growded into the enclosure to see the foreigner who had come 50 h to wash himself, to their credit be it said that on my requesting them to ratire while I hathed they left to a man. On stepping in, Ningpo, and the inhabitants have sent their the water seemed unbearably warm, but I soon became reconciled to the heat and the strong sulphurous smell, which first seems disagrecable. The bath has a uniform depth of about four feet and a half, with a pebbly bottom. There In dry weather the road is passable, and by Mr. Robinson—Then you are the legal owner The steamship China arrived here yesterday back in a day on a donkey. Quite close to Pufrom Canton and Hongkong, and bas landed k'ou there is a sulphur spring unutilised.

> cave which formerly was a great place of tesort for the natives, but suffered badly at the hands of the rebeis. After passing through a small temple which stands in front a few steps takes one to a well of clear water having a small The Shin-pac says that the Tao-t'ai has de- stone bridge thrown across it. On turning t puted a weiyuen named Chang and a native the right you enter the cave, the beight of architect to draw plans of the country through which is about eighty feet. In a ledge of rock which the Woodung tramway is to pass: and above is asmall Taoist temple, which is reached that they are to be submitted to the Viceroy of by three flights of steps. At the foot of Lisha-shan, about 60 & from Nanking, stands the Owing to the grong Northerly winds blowing I remains of a temple founded by the Emperor on the morning of the 14th instant, and the Tu, B.C. 2205. He is said to have visited this ressols not swinging together at the same time, temple three times, on one of which he wrote the U.S. corvette Kearsage fouled the P. and O. I an account of his suppression of the flood waters steamship Teheran. They succeeded, however, lof Ohina, This was preserved by being out on stone, and placed on the top of the mountain. translation was made by some students about 300 years ago, and cut on slabs which stand beside the old ones. The Emperor Liang Wuwith a certain laudable foreign enterprise which Ti. B.C. 549-" who professed an urdent rewe refrain from describing with greater parti. verence for the tenets of Buddhism, on several cularity. We are unaware what the immediate occasions going the length of living in Buddhist monasteries, and asuming the religious garb" -had erected at this temple an immense atone Buddha in a sitting posture, approrted on either curious idea that the Chinese have is that he side by large standing stone figures. The centre one measures from the ground to the building a wall through Nauking, dividing it top of its head forty feet seven inches. into a Northern and Southern city. The former | building in which they are found is built of solid stone against the face of the rock, baving an arched roof, not unlike the beamles temple The Nevada took away some thirty thousand in Soochow. A small but highly organised dollars worth of surios and articles of certu for stone pageda stands close by, but is somewhat the Philadelphia Centennial Exhibition. They disfigured by injuries received during the late rebellion. The Nanking forts are built on both banks

> > of the river at Wu-lung-shan, just below the

mouth of the branch which leads to the city.

On the Nanking side there are two. One is

At Kwan ving-mene 35 li from Manking is a

built on the beach, and consists of a long low in such instance part of private collections, and | wall pieroed with eight port-holes, behind five of which stand the latest breech loading A great many of them, too, are unpurchaseable Krupp's guns. The remainder are supplied and could not be replaced. They are gent by with old-fashioned . English muzzle-loaders. The front wall is about four feet thick, with a Tientein, Hangchow, and Canton, all of whom | well-built stone dyke running along the entire are very anxious to outshine the previous efforts length in front, and appears very strongly of Wu, the late Tao-t'ai of Shanghai, who ex. built. The part containing the Krupp gune is roofed with large beams of timber govered with iron plates and over front and roof bags of sand are placed. The remainder is merely matted over to protect the gans from the weather. Between each ggp is an ammunition known we think that this official has opened a store room. The other fort stands on a large flat rock, jutting out on the river : presenting much the same appearance, and mounting four large guns. At the time of my visit the men were at drill. The orders were given in German by a Chinese drill-sergeaut, and the loading and firing was carried out very creditably. At the back of the fort there is a machine shop, baving a ten horse-power steam-engine where shells are manufactured. A foreign steam fireengine stands in a shed close by. Everything to the amount of six tacle of eilver each, to belp on the adjacent bills. in well-built and cleanlooking mud barracks. On the opposite bank stands a long low fort of similar construction mounting eight gune, around which about one thousand men are camped. I was told that material for blocking the river is also stored bere, ready for immediate use .- Shanghai

> PEKING. We hear that in addition to the measles, from

punishment according as the thing is well or ill Two of the men were picked up, but one is still "I despite mankind," said an arrogant a leged breugh of contract. Mr. Brereton was being in the street watching to give the mount of net gain on the running done. The others state that he was down millionairs to a noted clergyman. I see you

The Hon. Leicester Warren has completed tragedy, in five mote catitled " The Soldier of of 1,800, bus just been built at Fall River, Massachusetts. It is stated that Mr. Gya has given notice to

his orchestra that he will play opera at (lovent

Garden six nights a week after mid-April. Mr. Gye has engaged Miss Anna Louise Cary. who sing at Drury Lane Theatre in 1870 as Malle Cari, for his forthcoming sesson. Sader's Wells Theatre, the oldest in London, is sold at last. Arrangements are in progress for its immediate conversion into a skating rink. Mr. Sims Reeves is to have £150 for singing at the Alexandra Paleon on Good Friday. This is probably the highest sum ever paid to any

English artist. Figure. It is not generally known that the eminent actor Signor Salvini has been murried to an English lady, Miss Lottie Sharp. The marriage took place in Florence. Mr. F. H. Cowen will not as conductor during the concert-tour of Madame Trebelli and Herr

Behrens in Germany and Scandinavia, which was to commence this month. The Musical Standard says it is understood that Madame Sainton Dolby's cantata, "St. Dorothy and her Martyrdom," will be performed at St. James's Hall in June next. Miss Ada Cavendish makes her reappearance in London at Easter at the Globe Theatre, in

ported by Mr. Arthur Occil and Mr. Leonard Boyne. Concordia learns from Paris that Mome. Nilsson has relinquished her present engagements that she may accompany her bushend to Cannes. His precurious state of health demands

"Miss Gwilt." Miss Cavendish, will be sup-

change and complete rest. A telegram has been received from Now York stating that Mdlle. Titions, on the occasion of of people being unable to obtain admission.

at the Lyceum Theatre, was Monday, the 14th

ult. Mr. Irving was to be Othello, Mr. Forrester Jugo, Miss Kate Bataman (Mrs. 'Orowe) Emilia, and Misa Isabel Batemin Desdemona A Genoese composer, Signor Emilio Bozzano who has set to mueio the third and fifth canto of Daute's "Infermo," proposes to produce his work at Paris. It is a sort of grand oratorio for six solo voices, obords and orohestra .- Academy One of the musical students in the University College of Wales has won the objef prize for an anthem in the Milwarkie and Wisconsin Eisteddfod. There were eleven competitors, and Mr. Jenkina, Trequette, was by far the

The death is recorded on the 24th January of Mr. George Vicent, so long identified by playacers with the representation of Melter Moss, in the drama of "The Ticket-of-Leave Man," produced at the Olympic Theatre in May,

in Nottingham, in Benedict's "St. Cecillia," lutely attered the line, "God is our hope," as if it were, " God is a rope," and have been respectfully arged to breathe over the letter H .-Concordia.

Madame Ristori reached Rome on the 15th January, after a successful tour or nearly two years duration in Brazil, Mexico, the United States; and the Australian colonies. She will play in London in June, possibly along with Signor Salvini.

By way of compliment to the memory of M. de Saint Georges, M. Halauzier has announced his intention of reviving Halévy's "La Reine de Chypre," of which Saint-Georges was the librettist. It was originally produced on the 22nd December, 1841.

at the 183th Anniversary Festival of the Royal place of settlement it has proved a failure; the Society of Musicinus of Great Britain at Willie's | Government itself has violated its own regula-Rooms on the 22nd instant. The society is tions by sanctioning foreigners in its employnow supporting sixteen members, forty-two ment residing anywhere out of Tendkidji most widows and twenty children.

who a short time ago resigned the post of notoriously been suded by persons pretending the descritions from the army during the year held for bull a century. The Chair adds that artifice to obtain the use of premises in loca- while in 1874 they reached 7,939 and 1873 a gret in the city and country, where he was kidji. There are two difficulties connected with from foreign stations cannot yet have been all generally respected and esteemed.

by another amateur, who suggested "the song police regulations; the other, that persons who that absentees from the make are not so China Fire Insurance Company's Shares—\$150 would go better if he sounded his h's a little." have bought property in Taukidji, under the promptly advertised as formerly. If this is the per share.

The receipts of the first night of the production | the contemplated change, if it do not involve | State for War list apring to be by no means | Shanghai Steam Navigation Company-Tla. Mail. of Cherubini's "Water Carrier" exceeded £300, sacrifices too great, may be effected. If so, satisfactory. Even of the remaining 70 and the occasion was interesting by the first and it is found that no practical inconveniences per cent. Mr. Hardy did not venture beyond Hongkong Gas Company's Shares \$75 per appearance in public of Miss Edith Santley, the of moment energ then Yokohams and the daughter of the well-known baritome, as other treaty ports will be similarly dealt with.

Rubinstein, is threatened with the loss of his of them, if they choose, -Japan Herald. oyesight. One eye is already almost sightless, and the other is seriously affected; but it is hoped that if he will submit to the operation for cataraci, the sight may yet be saved. He has been compelled to resign for the present all

concert engagements. England for America on their third professional manufactures. "Frequently applications have bare left. The Duke of Wellington declared it tour at the end of the second week in March. been made to us to print the names and trade to be a positive breach of faith with the good They will appear together in the Drury Lane murks of foreign firms. When we informed man when discipline is not enforced. At preannual next Christmus, probably the last time them of the criminality of such fraudulent seet it cannot be said that it is enforced. they can perform toget er, in consequence of actions, the credulous smile with which they We contrive to lose yearly by desertion alone the stage of Miss Victoria and Miss Rosim frequency of such practices."

price from 20 to 72 guineas. The 26 violing never in better working and paying order. realized £1.197.

a passenger to New York in the White Star themselves and a benefit to the country, steamer Collie, which sailed on the 27th Jenuary.

There access to be a chance of better days for the theatres if a movement, already on foot, for. Apropos, a very queer ghost-story resolves us men added to the ranks by enlistment one was in science generally, which the rapid advance converting unsuccessful theatres into skating from Nanking. A Mahometan Chinese some lost by desertion-for a time, at least, if not for of foreign relations has imposed upon them, are riuks, is carried out. The Holborn Amphi-time ago married a lady of the same persuasion, ever; and, if the correct number was 8,000 here given in extenso. Each and every word is theatre bue already been let for that purpose, to whom he was very fondly attached. Some and odd, then the army lest by desertion fully illustrated and explained, forming exerand sumour essets that the Queen's Theatre weeks after marriage, however, he fell sick, and not far short of haif the number of re- cises for students of a most instructive nature. will soon be put to the same use. If half a as be lay a-dying bis wife clasped bis hands during that year. From the Both the Court and Ponti pronunciations are dozen more theatres are-treated in the same and swore never to marry anyone else when he report of the military prisons for 1873- given, the accents being carefully marked on manner, the number of managers who annually was gone. For some time she kept her yow, apparently the last issued—it would seem that the best principle hitherto attained. The typonone the worse for the change. Athenœum.

The Durham Advertiser says that a grand evening performance, under the patronage of the Rev. William Mayor, vonr of Thorley, and the figure of a man sitting down, gazing ment by the courte martial before which the manual wife and which the figure of a man sitting down, gazing ment by the courte martial before which the heretofore characterized Chinese publications. White, Muster, will load for the above Port, and fixedly upon the woman. Weng started will have quick despatch.

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France has lost, says the Athengum, by the for the legal profession. He was at first an Pharmonic an Moyen Age "—was prowned by of his predecessor that he immediately sent for prisons, in which, as shown by Table 3 of the pess. In this respect the work will be found Hogsbourg, near Calais, just as he was completing the fourth volume of the collection, faithless widow his gone stark med, and there the last day of the year. The present drain of China, and to the natives themselves it experiences. Excelesiasticil de Musica Medii China, with which very few in-Æri." begun by the monk Gerbert. The results of his examinations of the musical records of of his examinations of the musical records of the musical libraries in the towns of French. To what sector fraternity do you think I 1,000 men was 8.4. In outs in 1873 they Thing it cannot but be invalinable occasionally. volumes bearing on early Church composition. lady.—"To the issect traternity," sas the reply, and 43 per 1,000 taking the larger number of quarto pages.

His "Art Harmonique" up to the 14th century. The British Medical Journal has authority to describe reported during that year. In an and his "Histoire des lustruments de Musique | state that it is the intention of Mr. Secretary | army entirely dependent on voluntary entire. an Moyen Age," were other interesting con- Hardy to take haps towards improving the ment as the English army is, this constant tribations for the study of music as indicated position of the Army Medical Department early reduction of its slender buttallous by descrition at primitive periods,

KWELCHOW. Kwol-yang-fu, 12th February. In my last of the 23rd ultimo I told you that saveral cities had been taken by the rebels, and that troops were being sent against the insurgents. Most of these troops have gode over with their arms and munitions of war, but it is my opinion that the real thing that is wanting money. If the laporal Government would An academy of music, with a senting capacity only pay the troops, and allow mines to be worked and roads to be made, the Chinese, who are as a rule very proific, would not give bruch trouble. Several mercury mines bave been opened, but the capital is too small to work them. I now learn from a reliable source, that a hand of Tai ping robals, who have been committing depredations in Tong-king for the last few years, have now returned to their nutive province Kwang-al, and about a month age they sacked Pel-stell Ting, a city of considerable important on the bank of the Whunshui Kiang, a river which takes its riss in Kwai-ohow, and empties itself into the sea at Canton. Should the band of T'ai-pings work their way into this province, matters won't be monded |-Shanghd Courier Correspondent.

Tientsin, as a place, is given to chronics. In

the winter we are chronically affected with a dry cold, and an occasional courier overland who doesn't always bring us mails. . Hill's dredger s now a chronic topic of fruitful discussion. It is a grand success, so stated by all who know and by many who don't know-or care; and the Viceroy has been obronically expected in about when he will be called upon to respect and pay for it. In any other than an oriental country a similar enterprise would have been festered and would have paid a large percentage of its cost by its work. But the eye of the Viceroy alone can pass this in Tientein, and all earth and beaven obronic complaint now is the arrival of steamers. There is not much difference between the arrival of the Paulob and the Chillis. There is immediately pestered with offers of assistance used to be, but things in the steamer way have her dibut at the Academy of Music, on the 24th got down to a very dead level. Of course some steamers bring passengers - friends - others ting carte, etc. : they evince a strong conviction in many ways that we are as porters at the Gate Celestial, whose business it is two show them along, and they accept our attentions with pertest sang froid.

Dr. Elmore, the Peruvian Minister, left per Shantung with his stuff, The proverbial wild goose which used to be dways reported by our old and respected townsman Mr. Meadows, has made his appearance. He flew North East by East 2 East, We have had the thermometer about 40° to 45° Fabr. and no one wanted in overcook. Political news is scarce. In fact there is none which is worth reporting.-Shanghal Courier Correspondent:

YUNNAN.

Although we are still without direct nows Mr. Grosvenor's party since the 1st January, black lace showl andless gold pens, white kid we are glad to hear that intelligence of their movements up to the 3rd February bas been According to the Liverpool Mail, the oborns received at the Lightion, through the Tsung-li yamen. They had retraced their steps to a point near Suchan-la, and had proceeded thence by the overland route via Chao-ting-fu in Yunnan, to their destination. This corroborates, while giving some further details, the news which we received tan days ago from Hankow; and we may rest satisfied that the party was all right on the date mentioned. The retrogression seems to have been rendered necessary by a short cut, which they had at-

the foreign representatives and the Govern-

Tsudkidji as the only place in the capital where | "unemployed capital" in their bands, Bide On SHANGHAL. The Earl : brewsbury is announced to preside foreigners may legally reside. As an exclusive for the various lots may be made by telegram. convenient to themselves, or for the pursuit of The Choir announces the deal of Mr. Corfe, their avocations. The restriction has also A good tale is told of an amateur who sang vernment stipulates that the foreigners shall these figures that a decrease in the rate of Hongkong Fire insurance Company's Shares-"appy land, appy land." He was corrected consent to submit themselves to municipal and desertion has taken place. It is said, besides, removed. These difficulties, which are being batch of short-africe men will be leaving the Shares-48 per cent. discount, buyers. Mr. Carl Rosa's English opera company have discussed, may, however, prove to be not alto- ranks. Thirty per cent. of the men in these Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steumboat recently concluded an engagement at Liverpool. gether insuperable and it is to be hoped that ranks were prosounced by the Secretary of Shares 7 per cent. discount. Japanese will then be free to reside in what are The Russian planist and composer, Anton now the foreign sottlements, and foreigners out

NAGASAKI. The Rising Sun says the Japanese are become by promptly punishing desertion. If there is ing quite expert at imitating the best foreign no better reason for doing so, it might well be brands. They manufacture apprious articles, attempted on the ground of doing justice to the then obtain fac-similes of foreign trade marks, | well-behaved men who remain and do their duty | Wing Shing to travelling trader. The versatile Vokes family were to leave and then dispose of the goods as foreign in the ranks as well as the duty of those who

The same paper says the recent accident to punishment in the army laid before Parliament A collection of 26 violing formed by the late the machinery of the Takashima coal mine will show that in 1873, with an average strength of to travelling trader. Mr. John Thornley, of Preston, was on the 3rd entuit a serious sloppage, as it is feared the the semy at home of 95,768 men, the number nic sold by auction by Menara. Foster, at Palle broken part dennet be replaced in Nagasaki, of sentences by courts-martial was 8,285. mall London. Lot 15, a Nicholae Amati, brought and consequently saw apparatus will have to be According to the statement in The Times, giving 110 gainess; another by the same maker, Lot obtained elsewhere. This is very anfortunate, the official announcement of the number of men 19, sold for 115 guineus. Lot 17, a Straduarius, following as it don so shortly after the recent who described in 1873, 1874, and 1875, the 112 guineas. Other justruments varied in explosion, and at a time whom the mine was desertions in 1873 must have amounted to 8,000,

The Japanese are giving much more attention | craiting, in his Report dated January 1st, 1875, ENGLISH AND CHINESE DICTIONARY The first novelty which Mr. Sothern intended to the cultivation of the mulberry tree than gives the following figures for 1873; Total to present on his arrival in America is an ori- formerly. A few years back, they were permitted establishment of the army, 182,030; recruits grand comedy, written by Mr. J. M. Morton and to grow wild, and were reckoned a cumbrance mised, 17,194; desertions, 5,702. The dis-Mr. Robert Reece. M. Sothern will, on his to the ground. As in everything else, newever, crepancy between the number of desertions An Anglo-Oniness Digitomany, published reappearance at the Haymarket Theatre, pro- a revolution has taken place in favour of the officially given by The Times and that given by duce the same piece, in which he is fitted with a malberry plant, and now the farmers perceived the Inspector-General for Recruiting is difficult remarkable character. Mr. E. A. Sothern was that it can be sultivated with advantage to be account for, suless by the fact that the TOR comprehensiveness and practical service FIHE A 1 British Clipper Ship

A NANKING GROST STORY.

roin themselves will be reduced, and art will be but eventually fell a victim for the second time of the 8.285 men of the home army sentenced graphy displays the success of an attempt to to the blan ishments of courtship; the suitor by courts-martial, 4,082—that is to say, not make the Chinese and English type correspond being, as in the former case, a follower of ene-half of the total number sentenced-were in the size of body, thereby effecting a vast the Prophet, of the name of Wong. One committed to thesix prisons named in the report, sconomy of space, achieving a clearness not FOR PORTLAND day, however, the husband on intering his Ol the remainder, or larger ball, a large pro- previously attained; and dispensing with those (THE AI American Ship wan keeping company with? Mrt. Wang re itis impossible either for their effects, testurally Phalmers. Vocabularly sounding about 15,000 Robinson, of the Robinston Inn, and the whole of the Robinston Inn, and the whole of the licensed victualless for the efforts they made in trying to make the performance a himself upon the measure convicted of descrition. Assuming other elementary works as yet published, the Wilkinson, and will have quick despatch as middle of the night he heard a tremendous that an equal proportion of these not committed student of this difficult language absolutely re- Whampon, and will have quick despatch as death of Edmond de Coursemake, one of her bump in his wife's apartment, succeeded by to these prisons, but sentenced by court-martial, quires examples to display the various applies bove. For Freight, apply to most erudite musical historians. He was born piereing screams. Hastening to the door he and of which no etatistics are given in the cations and equivalents of different words which volder. in Baillent Nord) in 1805, and was educated found that the lady and fallen out of bed, and poport, were convoted of the same offence, it have une general meaning. Of these examples that blood was lowing from her nose and would give a total of some 8,600 men of the this work contains more than five times as advocate, and subsequently a Judge, at Dunkirk mouth. She also seamed possessed with some some some some some some many as any other Dictionary bitherto: pubadvocate, and subsequently a Judge, at Dunkirk substance passesses with some army actually imprisoned for Gesertion. He began to apply himself to music strange spirit for addressing horself in the littue appears, taking the smaller number of lished.

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DEMAND FOR WIDOWS IN NANKING. The averaion for widows, which was one of We have said over and over again, and we do two weeks for certainly the last two menths, the elder Mr. Weller's many aniable eccentri- not besitate to repeat, that so long as undercities, might possibly have been moderated had writers undertate to insure grain ourgoes in THE Steamship the lot of that gentleman been cost in Nanking balk it is incumbent on them, both commercially during the present year of grace. For a long and morally, to attach conditions to its leading watched by competent people, and before this time, ever since the occupation of the city by and to see that those complied will leave for the above Port TO-D'AY, the the Tai-ping rebels indeed, there has been a with; and if legislation has threatened to terrible dearth of the fair sex; a respectable interfere injuriously with British abipping in man finds it almost impossible to get a wife to the grain trade, the blame must be left at the combined would not make his arrival a minute his bumour, simply on account of the enormous door of English underwriters who have hithersooner than that fired by the books. Another promine at which every lady is held. At pre- to neglected their obvious duty.-Nautical sent, we hear that there is a regular raid upon Magazine. widows. If a married Chinaman falls sick, he and enforced loans of money that he does not Some important and ourious experiments want; then, if bedies, the most attentive suitor which took places few days ago in the memorial bis the first claim to the hand of his discouse- cometery of Milan, at which ceremony the Junuary, achieved an immense success, hundreds steamers orting passengers—triangs—others, why the applicants municipal authorities considered in their duty of people being upable to obtain administration administration and in the lives, why the applicants municipal authorities considered in their duty The date fixed for the revival of "Othello" ting earts, etc. they evince a strong conviction the advance. But we are regard to the cremation of the covere of Mr. assured that the liberty of a widow is hardly Albert Keller, who in his last will had besafe, at the present moment; for only the other questhed a considerable sum, destined to defray will be despatched at 12 o'clock Noon TOday, a lady sorely pitted with the small-por and the expenses of the operation. The mortal almost bald into the bargain, who had lost, her remains of Albert Keller had been conserved. husband, was absolutely stolen by main force is a case of wood of peculiar construction, and and compelled to marry the robber, before the by means of the employment of a special liquid cofficer her late lord had been consigned to its charged with camphor and phenic acid had not ust resting place - Courier.

"DEAD LETTERS."

The annual "Dead Letter Sale" of the Postoffice at Washington is to take place on the 17th inst., when 8,534 unclaimed packages will above which the cornse was deposited, the be sold by anction. The articles specified in the entalogue, which contains no fewer than sixty-six pages, include a library of about 1,500 | body, these parts of the body being less liable books, a quantity of sham and real jewellery. a gloves, knives, necklades, spectacles, bandkerchiefs, "144 clock bands," soap, a wolfskin, a equirrel's tail, and the wings of a bat, two ekirta, a pair of "calfekin uppers," misoroscopes, revolvers a blanket, a piece of of tobucco, a piecrust cutter, a scouring brick, Malwa also at \$590, with allowance of twentya scap gauge, a box of chewing gum, a gas- four tacks. burner, a harmonian, a pack of cards and fifty "poker obips," a flute, a boy's jacket, a box of pumpkin meal, a towel, a shirt, a pair of slip- | On LONDON .pers, a briarwood pipe, a can of fresh pineapple, tempted, proving impracticable. -N. C. Herald. foreign stamps, three odd gloves, a goldtasselled necktio, five imitation birds, a tape measure, a fish line. some small saws, cleven Conferences are being held in Tokio between | buttons, and ten fish-books. This valuable property, which will be sold without reserve, is On Bombay.-Bank, hight...... 221 ment with reference to the abandoument of well worth the attention of speculators with On CALCUTTA. Bank, sight 221

BOME STATISTICS OF DESERTION

FROM THE ARMY. In the naval and military, intelligence of The saying that in regard to thom the opposite might fairly be said. This being the standard of the men that should but do not fill the ranks. owning to the gaps caused, by desertion, and recruits of the physique required being so hard to catch, it would be best at all events to keep! those we get, or at any rate endeavour to do so,

the approaching marriage and retirement from regarded us is but stronger evidence of the one-third or one-fourth of the number of men annually recruited. The returns of Chun Cheung to travelling trader. if not more. The Inspector-General for Reformer includes the men who deserted from I this Work stands unrivalled. All the new regiments serving abroad, whereas the latter words which the Chinese have of late years been Frank Bristow. Muster, will load for the above does not do so. But, assuming that 5,702 men compelled to coin to express the numerous ob- Port, and will have quick despatch. deserted in 1873 it is clear that for every three jecte in machinery, photography, telegraphy, and

is any other European army. In the Russian leed of them are perfectly acquainted. To and Belgian Flanders were very valuable belong?" saked a contemptible little fop of a reached SI per 1000 taking the leaser number. It comprises upwards of two thousand large

is the reverse of atisfactory .- Pall Mall Gasetic:

GRAIN CARGOES.

CREMATION AT MILAN.

undergone any alteration during a space of two years, and when placed on the apparatus for combustion, were still soft, moist, and far from presenting the appearance of an embalmed corpae. The apparatus for burning the body lateral jets being so disposed as to easily reach he head and the region of the thorax or upper to the influence of combustion. The operation

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE OPIUM. 'TUESDAY, 21st Merch. In Patna no transaction reported to-day, but

lested about one hour.

EXCHANGE Bank Bills, on demand 3/91 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight 3/94 Bank Bills, at 6 months' sight 3/101 Oredits, at 6 months' sight ... 3/104

Documentary Bills, at 6 months aight.....3/10 to 3/1 Bank, sight hereit in meret service 724

Private, 30 days sight 781 Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Sharee-2

per cent. premium. Times newspaper it was recently stated that Union Insurance Society of Canton-3050 per above Ports on SUNDAY, the 26th inst, at organist of Bristol Cathedral, which be had to enter into Japanese employment, and by this 1875, as officially announced number 5,629, China Traders Insurance Company's Stares-\$1,700 per share. the news has been received with the utmost re- lities more promising for business than Tau- still larger number. As the army returns China and Japan Marine Insurance-Tle, 58 per share. the contemplated change : one is, that the Go- received, it would be rash to conclude from Chinese Insurance Company .- \$202 per share.

. \$500 per share.

Whereupon Amateur No. 1 remarked. Shows idea that it would always continue to be exhow much you know about music! No such clusively the place of foreign settlement; will note—only goes up to G—appy land, appy land, appy land, appy land. The company's land.

share. Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$525 per

cent. discount. Chinese Imperial Loan -2104. SALES ON MARCH 21st, AS REPORTED BY

White Wax-2 pieces, at \$70,00, by I wong Wing Shing to travelling trader. White Sugar-168 bags, at 85.75, by Kwong Wood Oil-50 packages, at Tis. 5.75.0, by Kwong Hing Chong to travelling tradet: Fungue-30 bage, at \$30.50, by Kwong Hing thong to travelling trader. Bed Peas-100 picula, at \$1.05, by We Hing to travelling trader. Saigon Rice-4,000 picule, at \$1.56, by Kwong Mow Tai to local trader. Gambodge-I cases, at \$49.50, by Hop Hing will leave for the above place about 24 hours White Bird's Nests-1 onse, at \$950.00, by

> NOW ON SALE IMPERIAL QUARTO.

WITE THE PUNTIAND MANDARIN PRONUNCIATION. at the Daily Press Office, Hongkong.

TRUBNEE & Co., 60. PATERNOSTEE ROW. W. H. BELL "DAILY PARSS" OFFICE, HORGEONG, Vessels on the Berth.

FOR SAIGON.

"FERONIA' 22nd instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to SORY SHING, Bonham Strand. 7d 355 Hongkong, 16th March, 1876.

OUGAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAL Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for HANKOW, NINGPO, and PORTS in THE Company's Steumship.

" MESTOR MORROW, the 23rd inst. For Freight or Passage, upply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. 348 Hongkong; 22nd March, 1876. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON, vid SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship

" DIOMED " generated of a bed-like stand, with 150 gas jets, will be despatched on or about the 22nd inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents 337 Hougkong, 15th March, 1876. OR SINGAPORE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Calling off COMERSET, CLEVELAND BAY, BOWEN, and KEPPEL BAY to land Mails and Passengers.) HE Eastern and Australian Mail Steam Company's Steamer OUELISLAND." rubber hose, a fire kindler, two large pluge of Beneres sales made at \$5924. Sales of New Captain Craig, will be despatched as above on

SATURDAY, the 25th inst., at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., 11d 350 Hongkong, 15th March, 1876. FOR MANILA THE Steam ship

Garceau, Master, will be desystehed to Manila on or about the 25th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. 362 Hongkong, 18th March, 1876.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOOHOW. "IHE Steamship Ceptain Punchard, will be despatched for the

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. 7d 367 Hongkong, 20th March, 1876. NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. THE Company's Steamship "TANAIS," Captain Reynier, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA

shortly after the arrival of the next French G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Acting Agent. 368 Hongkong, 21st Murch, 1876. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to Broco and NAGASAKI THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship will leave for the above place shortly after the arrival of the Steamship Mongolia with the

next English Mail. A. McIVER. Superintendent P. & O. S. N. Co. s Office. Hongkung, 17th March, 1876. STEAM TO SHANGHAI. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"MONGOLIA." after her arrival with the next English Mail. A. MOIVER. Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.

Hongkong, 17th March, 1876. [358] FOR ILOILO via MANILA. HE Spanish Schooner Mericaechevario, Master, will have quick des-

patch for the above Ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. 363 Hongkong, 18th March, 1876. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

"STDENHAM! For Freight or Passage, apply to YOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. 308 Hongkong, 4th March, 1876. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

HE Al American Ship "LATHLEY RICH." Ray T. Lewir, Master, will load for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. 141 Hongkong, lat February, 1876.

FOR PORTLAND (OREGON).

140 Hongkong, lat February, 1876.

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. 139 Hongkong, 1st February, 1876. NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY AT HAMBURG.

THE Undersigned baving been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepered to GRANT INSURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first-class risks at ourrent rates. MELOHERS & Co. tf 674 Hongkong, 1st May, 1874.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COM PANY OF MANCHESTER AND TONDON'

tow and are prepared to grant Insurances at Pres with the Foreign Community. The The above are all the changes hitherto made Current Bates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. ti 1958 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

Vessels on the Berth.

STEAM FOR ATGON. SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DEGALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMALIA PORT SAID NAPLES AND MARSEILLES:

BOMBAY, ST. DENIS. AND PORT LOUIS. Quang Se, on Wednesday, the 12th proxime, at N THURSDAY, the 23rd March, 1876, at Noon, the Company's Steamship IIGRE," Commandant Browns, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CAR- will be deepatched on THURSDAY, the 23rd

transit through Marseilles for the principal Aden, Seyobelles, Rennion, Mauritius, Sez, Shipping Orders will be granted till noon, Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.m. on the 22nd March, 1876. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are required.

Forfurther particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Acting Agent, Hongkong, 15th March, 1876. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI

TERRANGAN PORTS. SOUTHAMPTON, AND LONDON BOMBAY, MADRIS, AND CALCUTTA THE PERINSDIAN AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamsh " TEHERAN," Captain A. H. JOHNSON, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and

Cargo, will leave this for the above places on THURSDAY, the 30th instant, at Noon. Cargo will be received on board until Noon Specie and Parcels at the office until 2 P.M. of the 29th idem. For Particulars regarding Freight and Pussage; apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office; Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF

. A Written Declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Routeis required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents, with the Bills of Lading or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any Detention or

Prejudice which may happen from the incor-rectness on such declaration. Shippers of cargo for Bombay are requested to take note, that the Steamers leaving Hongkong in correspondence with the Australian Steamers from Galle to Bombay, may call at Shippers are particularly requested to note

the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. A. MolVER, Superintendent, Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Co.'s Office, Hougkong, 16th March, 1876.

SHIP COMPANY. TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PAS-SENGERS-FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE,

OCCIDENTAL AND OBTENTAL STEAM.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE UENTRAL AND UNION PACIFIC AND as follows :-CONNECTING RAILROAD COMPANIES

AND ATLANTIC STEAMERS. THE S.S. BELGIC will be despatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama, SATURDAY, the 1st April, at 3 P.M., taking Correspondence must be specially directed for Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United this route, and if not fully prepaid will be sent

States, and Europe. Steamers from Shanghai. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day. All rican Stampa are sold at this Office.

Parcel Packages should be marked to address kong Stamps and 10 cents in U.S. Stamps to in fall; value of sume is required. Return Passage Tickets available for months are issued at a reduction of 20 per cent correspondence cannot be Registered through, on regular rates.

For further information as to Ereight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, Prays West. G. B. EMORY, Acting Agent Hongkong, 1st March, 1876.

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

HE next U. S. Mail Steamer will be des

patched for San Francisco, via Yokobama,

taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Errope. Through Passenger Tickets and Bills Lading are issued for transportation to Yoko hams and other Japun Ports, to Sun Francisco, to ports in Mexico, Central and South America,

and to New York and Europp, via OVER LAND RAILWAYS A Steamer of the Miten Bishi S.S. Company will lave Shanghai, via the Inland Sea Ports about same dute, and make close connection at Yokobama.

At New York, Passengers have selection of &c.) will be detained. various lines of steamers to England, France, and Germany. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. General Post Office, on the 14th proximo Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; vilue of same is required.

Prays West. G. B EMORY. Hongkong, March 15th, 1876.

KRUPP'S CAST STEEL WORKS. ESSEN (GERMANY) SOLE AGENT FOR OHINA. F PEIL. Hongkong, Shanghai, Cologne (Germany.) OHN SKINKER, SAN FRANCISC

*CALIFORNIA. Sole Agent on the Pacific Coast for Windhester Repeating Arms and Ammunition; Du Port's Blasting and Sporting Powder; Lake Superior and Pacific Fuse Company's Safety From [1y 1026 July 7

THE TOURIST'S GUIDE. BEDUCED PRICE \$1. Containing the names of all the Articles of Trade, objects of Natural History, Furniture, &c., So., with the Putti, and Mandarin Pronum which Mails for London arriving at Sucz from ciation. Also a few copies of the GICAMBIAIC of Ohinese Language, in two Parts.

WING-KEE COAL SHOP. THE Proprietor of Wing-KRE Shop bogs to Fer Newspapers 8 ... each. inform the public that his Shop has been established since 1855, at Endicott's Lane, and For Books and that he has always a great quantity of BEST COAL in store for Sale. Gentlemen or Ship-

masters wishing to petronise him, are requested to apply at his Shop. 1v 447 Hongkong, 23rd September, 1875. L Community, the Chinese leave of this Paper has been, from the commencement of the France and Algeria vid Brindisi, ... 12 per t oz.

alternate days as before: I'm Paper has been Established for nearly Continent of Europe (France ex-ment ander the Direction of a Well Educated Ports of China and Japan (to or Chinese Gentleman gives reliable commercial from) 8 per | os. (IHE Undersigned have been appointed and general information, and has the same Aden, Ceylon, India, Pondicherry, kong Canton Poochow, Shanghai, and Han- yertsements and Nove as the English Daty Spain and Portugal, vie Brindisi. 18 per t oz. Charge for Advertisments will be as hereto in the Table of Rates dated the 1st instant, and Hongkong, 23rd February, 1874,

Post-Office Notifications.

A marl will close. For Manila .- Per Leonor, to-day, the 22nd Dat. at 11.30 A.M. For Iloilo. - Per bark Rookwood, to-day, the 22nd inst. at 2,80 P.M. For Shanghai .- Por Nestor, to morrow, the 29rd met. at 11.30 A.M. For Singapore, Somerset, Cooktown, Olevoland Bay, Bowen, Keppel Bay, Brisbane, Sydney. Tasmania, and Melbourus .- Per Quomsland, on Saturday, the 25th inst., 11.30 A.M.

For Yokohams and San Francisco.-Per

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet TIGRE, GO, will leave this Fort for the above places, instant, with Mails to and through the United Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon Kingdom vid Merseilles ; to Europe, Saigon, don as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in Singapore, Galle, Australia, New Zealand, and Alexandria.

The following will be the hours of closing the Wednesday, 22nd instant, 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes except the NIGHT BOX,

which remains open all night. Thursday, 23rd instant. 7 A.M., Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all correspondence.

10 A.M., Registry of Letters censes. 11 A.M., Post Office closes except for Late 11.10 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addressod to the United Kingdom or to Singa-

Late Fee of 18 cents extra postage, 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES entirely. ALFRED LISTER. Postmaster-General

nore may be posted on payment of a

General Post Office. Hongkong, 9th March, 1876.

MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET. The English Contract Packet TEHERAN, will be despatched with the Muils for Europe. zo., on THURSDAY, the 30th instant. The following will be the hours of closing the Mails, &c. :-

Wednesday, 29th instant, 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. 6 P.M., Post Office closes except the Night Box, which remains open all night. Thursday, Soth instant, 7 A.M., Post Office opens for sale of

Stamps Registry of Letters, and Post. ing of all correspondence. 10 a.M., Post Office closes except for Late. Letters, Registry of Letters ceases. 10.15 A.M. Letters may be posted on payment of a LATE FEE of 18 cents extra Postage, until

11 A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES 11.30 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom vid Brindisi, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet on payment of a Lute Fac of 48 cents extra postage. 11.50 A.M., Posting on Board ceases.

ALFRED LISTER Postmaster General. General Post-Office. Hongkong, 16th March, 1876.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES'

The United States Mail Packet BELGIC will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 1st April; with Mails for Japan, Ban Francisco, and the United States, which will be OLOSED

2 P.M. Registry of Letters ceases. 2.30 P.M. Post Office closes.

2.30 P.M. Correspondence may be prated on board the Packet with Late Fee of 12 cents extra Postage, until 2.50 P.M. when the Mail is finally closed. by British Packet.

Connection is mide at Yokohama with Letters, &c., can be posted for Canada, the West Indies, and other places named below, it aufficient American stamps are added to prepay of the 81st instant, Parcel Packages will be them from San Francisco to destination. Ame-The charge for Registry is 8 cents in Hong-

those places only the names of which are printed in Italies. To all the other places named but only to San Francisco (8 cents). The following are the charges on correspondence thus sent :-

REE HALF OUNCE. Hongkong U.S. Stamps. Stamps. Cents. Cents.

Canada, British Columbia, New Brunewick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward's Island, Vancouver's } 8 Island, Bahamas, Nassau, New Providence Aspinwall Bermuda, Bogota, Carthagena, Costa Rica, Cu-. ba, Curação, Fiji, Greenland, 1. Jamaica, New Granada, Nicaragua, Panama, West Indice ... Hawaii, New Foundland on SATURDAY, the 15th April, 1876, at 8 P.M. Guntemala, Mexico, Balvador, 1 o Venezaela..... Belize, Greytown, Guiana, Hon-duras, Martinique, Santa Mar- 8

the Turk's Island Brazil. Bolivid, Ecuador, Chili, Peru.... Argentine Confederation, Buenos Ayros, Paraguay, Uru- 8 guly servered aspectation and accessed to Newspapers (not over 4 oz.) Books, &c., per 4 oz. Any articles found enclosed in Newspapers

or Book Packets (as silk scarves, jewellery, ALFRED LISTER. Postmaster-General. Hongkong, 20th March, 1876.

Many boxes of letters are received at the Post. Office not sealed, that is to say, the box is For further information as to Pussage and fastened with senling wax, but there is no im-Freight, upply to the Agency of the Company, pression of a seal. The attention of boxholders is called to the necessity of carefully scaling such boxes with Acting Agent, some recognisable seal, and of sending a Chitbook or receipt with thom, The omission of the latter precaution leaves a doubt as to weather the contents of the box ever reached the

> stracted for the sake of the Postage Stamps. Postage on Correspondence forwarded by Private Ship to the Straits Settlements must be prepaid at the following rates, viz. For Letters,..... 8 cents per à ounce. For Papers, 2 " each.

> Post Office: the omission of the former, as to

whether part of them might not have been ab-

For Book Packets and Packets of 6 , for each 4 ounces. Patterns. The registration fee on such correspondence Twelvo cents for each Letter, Paper or Packet.

Arrangements having been made under China by Private Ships will be forwarded to that the rates of postage, which must be paid in advance, on correspondence addressed to the United Kingdom so forwarded, will be a follows, viz. :---Inot exceeding lonnos 4 cents.

4 , 12 , Coveryadditional 4 , 12 ... His Excellency Governor Sir ARTHUR ED-WARD KENNEDY, K.C.M.G., C.B., is pleased to direct that the following revised Rates of Postage (including those notified on the loth

IN Order to meet the wishes of the Native instant,) be published for general information. BY FRENCH PACKET.

must be regarded as superseding that Table so

far as they apply.

Extracts.

HEMLOCKS. BY EDGAR PAWDETT.

I knew a forest, tranquil and anyust, Down whose green deeps my stope would often stray When leisure met my life as dew meets doot.

Proud spacious chestude verged each winding way. And hickories in whose dry boughs winds were shelli, And tremuleus whiteboled birches. Here, one day, Strolling beside the surce-held steed of will, I found a beautiful monastic grove Of old primeval hemlacks, living still!

Round it the forest matled, finshed, and throve, But here were ouly silence and much gloom. As though some soremer in dead days bad wove, With solemn charms and multored words of doom, A cogent spell that said to time" Depart !"

Think was its floors, where seant forms dared to start, With tawny needle, and an old spring lay, Limpid as organal in its ducky heart!

lagnely enough can language ever say. What sombre and fintastic dreams, for me. Held shadowy revel is toy thoughts that Jay !

And looked it is the oblivion of a tomb.

How stern similitude would dimly be "Of painted braves that grouped about their king; Or how in crimson fielight I would see

Some ghostly war-done, whose weak ories took wing Weirdly away beyind the grove's dark brink; Or how I seemed to watch by that old spring. . The timid phanton deer steal up to drink?

THE DEATH OF WOLFE The chief commanders on both sides were advancing death-and anxiously asked, but I think." "Who run ?" . "The enemy, sir," it was re-Burton. Tell bimto march Webb's regiment which to build up the hope of a solid success. the words, " Nov, God be praised, I die in peace!" his spirit passed away. - History of the United States. ...

THE ORIGIN OF IT. If one Neapolitan wishes to anger another he places the palm of the right hand on the back of the left and shakes the crossed thumbs, symbolical of donkey's ears, at him : a pleasant habit of pantomine answering the "taking a sight "popular elsewhere—a sign of contemptuous defiance said to be at least as old as Babelais, who thus describes Panurge receiving, Thanmaste-" Panurge suddenly lifted up in the air his right hand and put the humb thereof into the nostril of the same side holding his four fingers straight out and closed orderly in a parallel line to the point of his nose, shutting the left eye wholly, and making the other wink with profound depression of the eyebrows and eyelids. Then lifted be up his left hand, with hard wringing and stretching forth of his four lingers, and elevating this thumb, which he had in a line directly correspondent to the situation of his right hand, with the distance of a cubit and a half between them. This done, in the same form he a based towards the ground both, the one and the other hand. Lastly, he held them in the midst, as aiming at the Englishman's

THE MOUNT OF OLIVES AND THE

KEDRON. Bethany, From the square in front of the which, like all other streets of Jerusalem, is be guided by experience, they must of necesnarrow, dirty, and wretchedly paved; then Gate. On our right when we had passed out construct the temple of their fortunes. "In of the city, there was a cometery filled with than either that reason, that experience; and of them were professional mourners, some of out the remotest chance of influencing. In whom, as we passed near them, stopped their fact, instact is but another word for obwailing and laughed at the strangers. At | some little distance from the Gate is a piece to see two sides of a question here, and of rock, which is said to be the spot where the first in the long line of Christian martyrs and of logic everywhere. was stoned to death, the witnesses against him having " laid down their clothes at a young man's feet whose name was Saul." But our minds were absorbed by the supreme memories which the scene before usawakened. easy whole, and "a mother's instinct." has Below us was the valley of the Kedron-a narrow ravine towards which the path made. a rapid and deep descent. Immediately before us rose the Mount of Olives almost stripped now of the sombre, sad-looking trees from which it derives its name. It is covered one acts on the blind impulse of the unre- villa on the margin of the lake, where he mostly with grass, but near the ridge there were several fieldsof ripening corn; towards towards the road to Jericho, which runs round into the ravine, we could see an enclosed garden containings few venerable clive-trees this we recognised at once as the traditional thick enough in most places to conceal the limestone rock, so that the greater part of the hill has a whitish-grey appearance. rocky path, the very path by which I think the King also himself passed over the brook them about poison berries, and the certainty the mist and smoke of the old town. He toward the way of the wilderness. David fuls unless warned and prevented, and they beauting from his eyes. The angels were

instrument of their ambition and revenge, them and die of the slow-poisoning to which ing eyes upon the tower. The sound of his On the ridge them is a building—part mosque they are subjected under the name of indulbells bore to his heart all the sweet memories and part chapel-which boars the name of gences -Queen. the Church of the Ascension. St. Helena erected a church on this spot to commemorate cur Lord's ascension into heaven, and in the of him inhis absence, he would probably become rowers sought to arouse him, his face was little chapel there is still the impression of a The prisoner at the bar seems to have a our Saviour's left foot-miraculous evidence, very smooth face," said a spectator to the that this is the very place from which Ho jailer. "Yes," replied the jailer, " he was

rose !- Congregationalist.

INSTINCTIVE. A quick temper, strong passions, and sonsitive organisation, small powers of re- some parts of Africa, judging from the ba flection, smaller still of mental analysis; superficial judgment, yet supreme content therewith the acceptance of impressions for facts and of faucy for demonstration; to all probability a decided dash of suspicion on the one side and of animality on the otherand you have the nature which oberishes that state of mind commonly called instinctive. and sometimes "intuitive" by way of a bim his hand in taken of reconciliatiation change. Between instinctive people and Scon after this the Sultan, who seems the power of reasonable analysis and explanation is a great gulf fixed, which they he had inflicted on his brother, admitted his seldom attempt to pass, and, if they do, into his scoret counsels, teld him that he ha never succeed in their endeavour. Ask an in order to deliver his capital from t instinctive person "Why?" and the answer. Egyptian forces, concluded an alhance with invariably is the crude fact, "Because I do," I the Gallas, and explained his plan of operations of the contract of the c or, "because I choose," "Why do you tion, which was that a detachment of Gall dislike that woman of whom you know should on a certain night make their wi nothing? or of whom what you know is into the town, and, with the assistance nothing bad, and what you may have heard the Sultan's own troops murder the Egypti to her disadvantage is unvertiled gossip of merison. Upon this the late victim of The analytical hater will look you calmly in Sultan's tyminy made known the whole pl the face and say, "I do not know, but I have to Daoud Pasha, the Egyptian command ad instinct against ber, and I dislike her in Harrar, who instantly seized the Sulta extremely." It is Dr. Fell over again; and bis nobles, and a number of Galla objectain the reason that held good then holds good who were staying with him, and had the

now, and with just the same satisfaction to beheaded in presence of the informer, who the reasoner. Sometimes it is, why do you vengoance must have been complete enoug like that man ?. Ho is a faithless busband. a negligent father; his honour is a thing of straw, and those who know him best would not believe bim on his oath." The unanalytical lover can only make reply, sorely striken. Welfe was carried to the "I do not know, but I do like him; I do rear, and, on reaching a small redoubt which not think him bad, and I have an instinct had been captured in the morning, he de- that he is better than you say;" and there sired his attendants to lay him down. They the matter rests. Instinct here goes to the brought him water, and some one proposod side of upholding a man for whom his own that a surgeon should be sent for. "It is mother would not find excuses, and the clear-needless," said the dying man; "it is all est demonstration would not be accepted as over with me." He appeared to sink into a renson why opinion should be changed, and lethargy, when a cry was heard-"They facts be taken as the ground work of feelings, run, they run!" Wolfe roused himself as rather than that vague state of haze and deif from sleep it was the sleep of rapidly- lusion expressed by "I do not know why,

Sometimes people have an instinct that plied; "they give way everywhere." A such and such projects and speculagleun of returning life shot momentarily into tions will succeed, in spite of all that his eyes, and his list thought of duty. "Go, experts tell them of their unsoundness, and one of you, my lade," he said, "to Colonel in spite of a very indefinite foundation on with all speed down to the river Charles, to The scientific method of demanding a strict cut off the retreat of the fugitives from the relation between cause and effect finds no pany employed 1,400 omnibuses; but a large bridge." Presently be turned upon his side; favour in their eyes. They prefer rather the a shudder passed through him; and, with region of miraculous growth to that of commonplace busbandry, and to pluck fairy fruits. and run up Broadway. In 1858 the numthat have neither blossom nor roots, is a thing evidently possible in their philosophy else how can they maintain that success will come of itself by some cunning contrivance of chance-when the teaching of experience and by 1872 the number was reduced to and the logic of facts alike point to failure as certainly as the falling baremeter points about 200.-Appleton's Cyclopædia. storm? They have an instinct. On that instinct they buy shares in a buble company; undertakeduties which they cannot discharge and offices for which education, habits, and temperament alike unfit them; organise their lives on impracticable bases; transaot their business on wrong methods, marry on love, impecuniosity, and the belief that Providence will pay the rent and the butcher's bill; make large purchases of costly pigs closely muffled in mysterious pokes, and rate you roundly for suspicion,

and perhaps envy of their good luck, if you advise a loosened string and a cautious peep inside the bag beforehand; in fact, they ling themselves generally on the broad bosom faith, their instincts accepted as guides, and their hopes catalogued as certainties. Or it may happen that their instincts go the other way, and that no matter how certain a thing. calculations on which it is based, they will refrain and refuse sure disaster on the unanswerable ground of "an instinct against it." The only thing to done with these instinctive people is to We started for the Mount of Olives and let them alone; to avoid giving advice; and, above all, to avoid mixing opeself up in their great church we turned into Christian-street, affairs. Not to be touched by reason, not to bead, make up a fashionable full-dress coif sity dree their own weird, and do the best into the Via Doloresa and on to St. Stephen's they can with the materials out of which they of the Gate, and immediately under the wall stinct" speaks to them more authoritatively is the fashion for each lady to have a fashion

friends only run the risk of offending withstinacy with some, fancy with others, inability the entire absence of the reasoning faculty used in preference to cosmetics and bando-Another side of the instinctive tempera-

ment is to be found in the emotions; and of these chiefly with mothers. It suits hasty generalisers to lump things into one large long been the recognised form in which the Italian after many years of patient toil. He highest form of love, maternal or otherwise, is | was proud of his work, and when they were spokenof, But there are mothers and mothers; purchased by the prior of a neighbouring and of those the one class shows instinctive convent, near the Lake of Como, the artist passion and the other reasonable love; the invested the profits of the sale in a pretty flecting animal and the other on the clear could hear their Augelus music wafted from comprehension of the rational human being. the convent cliff across the waters at morning. the southern end of the bill the corn descended With the instinctive mother her children's noon, and night. Here he intended to pass pleasure always ranks before their good. If his life; but this happiness was denied him its base. A few fruit-trees very few-rose they cry for improper food, it is given to In one of these feudal broils which, whether here and there in the corn-fields. Below us, them because they want it; if they ask for civil or foreign, are the undying worm in a not far from where the side of the hill sinks improper indulgences, they are granted fallen land he suffered the loss of his all because it will please them, and "just this and when the storm passed he found himsel once cannot do them much harm;" besides, without home, family, friends, and fortune "it is so dreadful to refuse them, -poor The convent had been razed to the ground garden of Gethsemane. The grass was not darlings, and I cannot bear to hear them the chef. d'autre of his handiwork, the tuneful cry." The mother's instinct overrides the chimes whose music had charmed his listenwoman's reason; and those who plead for a ling ear for so many happy days of his past more intelligent management, for denial life, had been carried away to a foreign land Winding up to the ridge from just above the where allowance will do harm, for tears with He became a wanderer. His hair grew white garden of Gethsemane it was easy to trace a wholesomeness rather than smiles with mis- and his heart withered before he again found chief, are held to be cold and hard and no a resting-place. In all these years of bitter it likely that our Lord Himself would gene. mothers at all in the true sense of the word desolation the memory of the music of his rally walk from the city to Bethany. By -"for," says the instinctive mother, "no bells never left him; beheard it in the forest woman who is a true mother sould bear to and in the crowded city on the sea, and by of by the road round the bill. A few minutes give her children pain, and she would rather the banks of the quiet stream in the basin of after leaving the date we crossed the bridge deny herself than them." It is in vain to the hills; he heard it by day, and when over the Kedron, which was quite dry; then reason with these women. They know night came, and troubled sleep, it whispered we passed by "Gethsemane," into which nothing higher than that unimal instinct to to him soothingly of peace and happiness. we were unable to enter, as the monk who which they subdue such intelligence as One day he met a mariner from over the sea, has charge of it and keeps the key was nature gave them, and they think themselves who told him a story of a wondrous not within call; and then we were on justified by the intensity of their feeling, chime, of bells he had heard in the side of the bill. As we walked on You may demonstrate with the precision of Ireland. An intuition told the artist that and noticed the many signs of the great a mathematical theorem what evil they are they were his bells. He journeyed and antiquity of the path, it was impossible not doing, and they will fall back on their feel- voyaged thither, sick and weary, and sailed to remember the pathetic story of David's ings as the unanswerable argument which up the Shannon. The thip came to anchor flight. It was by this path, no doubt, that oxcuses all. They fall back, too, on the in the port near Lamerick, and he took pasthe unbappy king fled from Jerusalem to the child's own instinct, and declare that a baby sage in a small book for the purpose of wilderness:-" Asd all the country wept with of ten mouths old knows what is good for reaching the city; Before him the tall steeple a loud voice, and all the people passed over it, and would not take what was bad. Ask of St. Mary's lifted its corrected head above

went up by the scent of Mount Clivet, and will probably say quite contentedly, "Oh, whispering to him that his bells were there wept as he went up, and had his head covered, that is different !" If you do not see where. He prayed: "Oh, let them sound me a loving and he went burefoot; and all the people the difference lies, that is your fault, not welcome! Just one note of greeting, C was with him covered every man his theirs; but you may be sure that they make bells I and my pilgrimage is done!" It was and they went up, weeping as they a vital distinction between the instinct, or a beautiful evening. The air was like that went up." (2 Samuel xy. 28-80.) We the 'want of it, which will out that which is of his own Italy in the sweetest time of the thought too, how fresh and sweet must only huntful and that which is deadly a year, the death of the spring. The botom of have been the free air of the open bugs slice of heavy cake, black with currents the river was like a broad mirror, reflecting bill-side to One greater than David, as He and slap with dripping, or a dozen berrice the patines of bright gold that flecked the came up the same path after a hot and weary of the belladonna. In nothing so much as blue sky, the towers and the streets of the day in Jerusalen. How He must have re- in cating is this foolish fondness of the in- old town in its clear depths. The lights of joiced to be among the corn and among the stinctive mother made manifest. Being the the city deaced upon the wavelets that riptrees which, in his day, grew thick on the most animalistic method of giving pleasure, pled from the boat as she glided along. Sud Mount, and away from malignant priests and it is naturally the one preferred by natures dealy the stillness was broken. From St captious scribes, and the fierce, reckless crowd which are animalistic all through. The Mury's tower there came a shower of silver Bayan that listened to Him with wonder, but were wouder is bow the children of such mothers sound, filling the air with music. The boateager to turn Him aside from His great work, grow up into health at all; how it is that men rested on their pars to listen. The old and to make His supernatural power the they do not fail under the pressure put on Italian crossed his arms and fixed his stream-

> If a men could be conscious of all that is said a very midest man indeed.

ironed just before he was brought in.

FRATERNAL AFFECTION IN AFEIC Fraternal affection seems rather, weak rative given by a correspondent in Cairo the conduct of the Sultan of Harrar toward his brother, and of the retaliatory measur taken by the latter. The Sultan had an on brother, whom he kept in prison for abo fifteen years—in fact, until he heard that t Egyptian troops were approaching his capita He then sethis brother alliberty, and offer have taken a very mild view of the injur to satisfy him, since no fewer than 100 bea were struck off on the occasion.

The round Greek coil is already out of fashion, and in its stead the hair is arranged in a long chatelaine loop hanging low behind to which fingerpuffs are sometimes added on the side. The front bair is parted in the middle, or slightly on one side, and is arranged in loose waves close to the head, with orens-cour locks turned forward from the ears; sometimes there are as many as three of these side-locks on each side, curving toward the face, justend of from it, as was lately the fashion. The poke-bonnets display all the front hair, and, as ladies have crimped and burned away so much of their hair, they resort to false "scalpettes" to give the appearance of abondant hair thickly set. These scalpettes are false fronts, made of invisible to succeed, no matter how positive the bair-net, in which luxurant treases are fastended. They are worn quite low in front, in order to give the appearance of a low. broad forehead. Nets for the front bair are now shown to keep the bair from blowing about, and thus a veil is dispensed with Five long carls, reaching to the waist behind and clusters of finger-puffs on top of the fure. A great many flowers are used for trimming the hair; dowager-like feathers have lost favour. There is, however, no one stereotyped style of confure at present. I of her own, and to arrange her hair in the way most becoming. The water-scallops that look pasted to the face are still worn, but are not as popular as they were last winter. Topics that strengthen the hair. cleanse the scalp, and are without oil, are line. Harper's Bazaar.

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about, and thus a veil is dispensed with Five long carls, reaching to the waist behind and clusters of finger-puffs on top of the	Chateaubriand Christina A. P. Colombo	Nich.sch 175 Order Brit. bk Order Fren bk 800 Landstein & Co Amr. bk 529 Jardins, Matheson & Oc	N	Saltio Sarl Ludwig		Brit. bk 318 Pasedag & Co Ger. bg 234 H. A. Petersen & Co Span bk Elles & Co	Samusang
fure. A great many flowers are used for trimming the hair; downger-like feather have lost fivour. There is, however, no or	Fanny P. Hansen Rousal Strachan Franz Hilderbrandt	Ger. bk 783 Melohers & Oo Fren. ch 1138 Landstein & Oo Brit. bk 748 Rozurio & Co Brit. soh 148 Frazar & Oo Amr. bk 670 Rozario & Oo	Portland G Maigon G Portland H	Airmen Polibri Palio Ponitiv Hedvig		Ger. bk 207 H.A. Petersen & Co Brit. bk 315 Johnston & Co Brit. soh 169 Pasedag & Co Swedibk 362 Johnston & Co	Keelung
storootyped style of coiffure at present. is the fashion for each lidy to have a fashion of her own, and to arrange her hair in the way most becoming. The water-scaller	Hermann W. Hambach Humboldt A. F. Stell Irene S James Vinicombs J. MacPherson	Ger. sh 871 Melohers & Co Ger. bk 330 Ed. Schellbass & Co Ger. sch 266 Carlowitz & Co Brit. bk 630 Borneo Co. Limited	Manilu. 10. E Bangkok j E	Jeleus Turgen Kvik May Queen		Brit. bt 433 Boyd & Co Ger. br 269 H. A. Peterson & Co Brit. bg 187 Boyd & Co Brit. bk 285 Tali & Co Fren. bk 347 Johnston & Co	Saigon Keelang
but are not as popular as they were in winter. Tenics that strengthen the hai cleanse the scalp, and are without oil, as	t Johann Smidt H. Robker t Jonathau Chase Curtia r. Lathley Rich R. T. Lewis e Margarite J. Owens	Ger. bk 433 Wieler & Co Aur. bk 693 Order Amr. sh 1327 Vogel, Hagedorn & Co Brit, sh 864 Arnhold, Karberg & Co Amr. sob 366 Olyphant & Co	San Francisco	Noemi Palasa Velox	Aucam Schmitsch	Ger, bk 299 Passdag & Co Dut, bk 187 H. A. Petersen & Co Ger, sch 180 Passdag & Co Brit, bk 463 Passdag & Co	Keelung
used in preference to cosmetics and bando line.—Harper's Bazaar. THE BELLS OF LIMERICK.—	Mary Whitridge Cutler Memento E. Renvald Naworth Castle Linklater Nautilus O. Blockey	Amr. sh 882 Russoll & Co Brit. bk 464 Captain Brit. bk 849 Order Brit. bk 232 Ed. Schellhaus & Co	San Francisco			FOODBOW. In port on 12th March, 1876.	
The old bells that hung in the tower of Limerick Cathedral were made by a your Italian after many years of patient toil. B	Nicoline Ablmana Nightingale Palmer Northampton W. Baralay Rockwood W. Jeweli	Ger. bk 320 Arabold, Karberg & Oc Amr. sh 722 Russell & Co Brit, sh 1188 Adamson, Bell & Co Brit, bk 636 Messayeries Muritimes Amr. sh 1072 Russell & Co	Sau Francisco	Forget-me-not Fo-shing	Broadley Dobson Cotton Bryant	Brit, str 62 Chinese Brit, skr 62 Chinese Brit, str 62 Chinese Amr. sch 388 Chinese	Ohefoo Shanghai
was proud of his work, and when they were purchased by the prior of a neighbourin convent, near the Lake of Como, the arti- invested the profits of the sale in a pret	S. G. Reed J. W. White Sydenham F. Bristow Union Mericaschevar	Amr. sh 552 Voyel, Hagedorn & Co Brit. sh 1062 Vogel, Hagedorn & Co in Span. sch 152 Remedios & Co Span. bg 261 Brandso & Co	Fortland 1	Pallas	Ballehn Rickard	Ger. bk 421 Russell & Co Brit. bk 789 Jurdine, Matheson & C SHANGHAI.	Bangkok
could hear their Augelus music wafted from the convent cliff across the waters at morning moon, and night. Here he intended to part	Wm. Phillips A. Healy Meier 18	Amr. sob 592 Captain Ger. bk 439 Wm. Pustau & Co				In port on 10th March, 1876. The names of the numerous steamers, tug small craft, and receiving halks employed	
his life; but this happiness was denied him In one of these feudal broils which, whether civil or foreign, are the undying worm in fallen land he suffered the loss of his all		Receiving Vessels & Holks.		a Table to Attack the total of the state of	Fox	on the Yang-tene are not included in thi table. Amr. sch 887 Frazar & Co	
and when the storm passed he found himse without home, family, friends, and fortun. The convent had been razed to the groun the chef d'autre of his handiwork, the times where music had abaymed his lister.	6. Chase L. John Adam J. H. Grimes il	Pow. Mag. 283 Harbour Master Hulk 818 Water Police		Aufunda Augusta Rouita Condor	Lord Harms Thompson Mitchell Bruhn	Ger. sch 225 F. Knobblauch Brit. sch 2:0 F. Knobblauch Brit. sch 46 Master Ger. bk 235 Erast Taumeyer	
chimes whose music had charmed his lister ing ear for so many happy days of his parlife, had been carried away to a foreign land. He became a wanderer. His hair grew while and his heart withered before he active four	H. M. S. S	HIPS IN THE CHINA SQUADRON.		Ouba Eliza Shaw Freetrader Gesina Byona	Stabell Hall Merrpusa	Brit. bk 323 Butterfield & Swire Brit. sh 696 Shaw, Ripley & Co Brit. bk 340 Russell & Co Ger. bk 430 Order Brit. bk 306 Nils Moller	
and his heart withered before he again four a resting-place. In all these years of bitted desolation the memory of the music of heard it in the forest and in the growded site on the sea and heard in the sea and heart with the sea	Name. Rig.	Capicin.	Where At.	Kropprindsessen Levesdia Decar Vidal Fitania	Hansen Hapsen Mearns Kessal England	Dan bk 343 Ed Schellhass & Co Brit. sh 896 Adamson, Bell & Co Brit. bk 209 Nils Moller Brit. sh 879 Adamson, Bell & Co	New York
and in the crowded city on the sea, and be the banks of the quiet stream in the basin of the hills; he heard it by day, and who night came, and troubled aleep, it whispered to him excellently of reace and heaveness.	n Corlew double so. gun d Dwarf double so. gun	4 120 Comdr. Hon. Dawson Naga	nama 20 Saki 20	Tokutea Uranua Vesta Warden Appleby	Briggs Bery Percy Posthumus	Brit. sh 505 Heard & Co Nor. bk 386 Ed. Schellbass & Co Amr. bk 300 Mustard & Co Brit. bg 232 Nils Moller Brit. sh 846 W.S. Maolean	
to him soothingly of peace and happines One day he met a mariner from over the se who told him a story of a wondrou chime of bells he had heard	Fly double so, gun Brolio double so, gun n Growler double so, gun double so, gun	yl 4 120 Comdr. John Bruce Sings yl 4 100 Comdr. C. E. Buckle Hong yl 4 120 Comdr. W. Stewart Tient yl, 4 120 Comdr. D. H. Boyse Hank	spore Song 7 Miz Cow	Windbover	Findlay Boblistorff	Ger. bk 422 Wm. Pustau & Co YOROHAMA.	
Ireland. An intuition told the artist the they were his bells. He journeyed an voyaged thither, sick and weary, and saile up the Sharnon. The ship came to anchor the ship came to anchor the sails and sails are the sails and sails are the sa	d Himalaya double so. gun d Hornet double so. gun d Kestrél double so. gun double so. gun	vi. 4 100 Comdr. H.N. Hippesey Kink	tkong y oute to Singapore	Albertu	Solling Talbot	Dan. bk 256 F. Knobblauch Brit. ech 280 F. Knobblauch Brit. sh 707 P. M. S. S. Co	
in the port near Limerick, and he took pareage in a small boat for the purpose of reaching the city: Before him the tall steep of St. Mary's lifted its purposed head about	of bleaned military hospi lo Midge double so. gun e Modeste steam curvette m Modeste gun-boat	tol — Hong vi. 4 120 Comdr. H.G. Salmon Food 14 850 Captain A. Buller Sing 4 60 Lieut. Com:, Paul Hong	grong how spore skong	Oity of Quebec	Davidson Fonbre Uldemp Orighton Japoock	Amr. bk 528 P. M. S. S. Co Ger. bk 445 H. Aurens & Co Urit. bk E. C. Kirby & Co Amr. sp 797 E. Fischer & Co	
the mist and smoke of the old town. E leaned back wearily, yet with a happy ligh beauting from his eyes. The engels we whispering to him that his bells were ther	Ringdove double se gur Swinger double so gun e. Thalia steam corvette	2 1 2 60 Lieut Comr. Bulitho Naga 150 Captan St. John Kog 6 400 Capt.H.B.Woollcomb Shan	saki gbai	Leicester Lochleven Unstla Mary Jane	Jordan Uaddy: Mac Kechnis Orighton	Brit. sch. 198 Walsh, Hall & Co. Brit. sb. 1809 Messageries Maritimes Brit. sch. 602 Chioman, Stone & Co. Brit. sch. 165 E. C. Kirby & Co.	
He prayed: "Oh, let them sound me a loving welcome! Just one mote of greeting, to bells! and my pilgrimage is done!" It was a beautiful evening. The air was like the), Victor Emanuel receiving ships is Vigilant despatch vessi it	Ocamodr.J.E. Parish Hong	tong gkong	Pelham Rufie Shalimar Sosterk	Bifron Bergeland Walker Alm Evans	Rus, bk 530 Order Brit, sh 1596 Order Nor, bk 389 Order Brit, bk 829 Order	San Francisco
of his own talv in the sweetest time of the year, the death of the spring. The botom the river was like a broad mirror, reflecting the patines of bright gold that fleeked the	g BORNIG	n men-of war in harbour.		 一巻 「 「 「 「 「 「 「 「 「 	Rendie	Brit, bk 780 Kniffler & Co MANILA. In port on 7th March, 1876.	
blue sky, the towers and the streets of the old town in its clear depths. The lights the city danced upon the wavelets that ripled from the boat as she glided along. Sudenly the stillness was broken. From S	German	a cor. 1888 Kohn		Adlar Jamaan Jopohita		Ger. bk 451 Order Brit, bk 640 Order	
e deply the tillness was broken. From a Mury's tower there came a shower of silv		tara da antigara de la companya de l		Octobration Delia Flores de Maria		Span. bk 408 F. Reyes Span. bk 385 Order Span. bk 248 F. Reyes	

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upturned to the tower, but his eyes were closed. The poor stranger had breathed his last. His own chef-d'aure had rung his pausing bell - Harpe's Magasino.

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